

IN RE

SEARCH WARRANT, DATED December 14, 2012 at 5:29 p.m. AND

SIGNED BY THE HONORABLE JOHN F. BLAWIE, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "The residence of Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house."

Police case number CFS12-00704559

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
EXTENSION OF PERIOD SEALING SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT
AND DISPENSING WITH REQUIREMENT OF GIVING COPY OF SAME TO OWNER,
OCCUPANT OR PERSON NAMED THEREIN AND FOR SEALING OF SEARCH WARRANT
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276¹ and the law enforcement privilege² the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

a. A **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the search warrant application and affidavit and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same to the owner, occupant or person named therein for the same time; and

b. An **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the return of the search warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit; and

C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.

See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seebeck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).

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SANDY HOOK
CONNECTICUT

2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing and no arrests have been made and none are currently anticipated, but have not been ruled out.

Additionally,

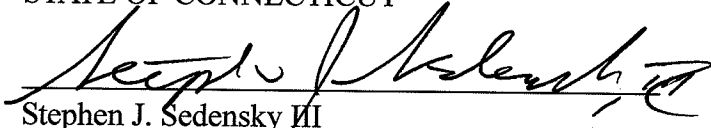
- There is information contained in the search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the affidavit would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any potential suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavit, application and return and the unsealing of the same at this time (54-33c(a)).

December 26, 2012

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

**IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012 AT 5:29 P.M.**

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SUPERIOR COURT

**FOR THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY LANZA
36 YOGANANDA STREET
SANDY HOOK, CONNECTICUT**

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JUDICIAL DISTRICT

:

OF DANBURY

**POLICE CASE NUMBER:
CFS12-00704559**

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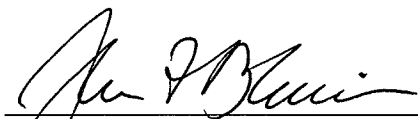
DECEMBER 27, 2012

ORDER

The application of the prosecuting authority, the Danbury State's Attorney, having been considered, it is hereby GRANTED.

The period of time sealing the search warrant application, affidavit and return, and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same is hereby extended for a period of ninety (90) days from the date hereof. The court finds that due to the nature and circumstances of this case and the ongoing investigation, the State's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs any right to public disclosure at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



John F. Blawie
Judge of the Superior Court

**PROPERTY SEIZED UNDER
SEARCH WARRANT**

JD-CR-52 Rev. 10-01
C.G.S. §§ 21a-262, 53-278c, 54-33g,
54-36a, 54-36e, 54-36g, 54-36h

CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT
(Staple to JD-CR-61 as page 7)

COURT DOCKET NO.

U.A.R. NO./JUV. SUMMONS NO.

COMPANION CASE NO.

CFS12-00704559

TOWN OF SEIZURE

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M.

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POLICE CASE/RECEIPT NO.
CFS1200705354

PART A INVENTORY NO.
8592 SW

PART B INVENTORY NO.

JUVENILE INVENTORY NO.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT/SUBJECT

ADAM LANZA (DECEASED) 36 YOGANANDA ST. SANDY HOOK, CT

ADDRESS OF COURT

146 WHITE ST DANBURY, CT

SECTION I. NO IN REM (Complete this section if In Rem was not served)

Notice is hereby given to the court of the foregoing Return of Property seized on Search and Seizure Warrant. No In Rem proceedings have been filed in the office of the clerk.

DATED AT (Town)

ON (Date)

SIGNED (Assistant Clerk)

COURT

SECTION II. IN REM (Complete this section only if In Rem was served)

Whereas, as appears on file, the property referred to in the above summons was duly seized and, in accordance with the statute and as appears above, a summons was duly issued and served, commanding the owner(s) thereof and all others whom it may concern to appear before this court, to show cause why the said property should not be forfeited, adjudged a nuisance and ordered to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, and whereas said owner(s):

- ☐ appeared, thereupon being made party defendant(s) and after hearing ☐ made default of appearance ☐ executed the foregoing waiver

the court adjudged the property referred to in said summons and entered the following order:

SECTION III. ORDER OF THE COURT (Complete this section in both cases)

ASSET FORFEITURE	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are subject to an in rem asset forfeiture proceeding pursuant to C.G.S. § 54-36h. See attached form.
RETURN TO OWNER(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby ordered returned to the rightful owner(s) within 6 months from the date of this order, upon proper claim therefore, OTHERWISE the property shall be disposed of pursuant to Section 54-36a of the Connecticut General Statutes as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
EVIDENTIARY FUNDS AT A FINANCIAL INST.	The financial institution holding evidentiary funds seized by the _____ Police Department/Law Enforcement agency shall issue a check in the amount of _____ dollars payable to _____	
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be controlled drug(s), substance(s) or drug paraphernalia and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be: <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed (C.G.S. 54-36a; 54-36g). <input type="checkbox"/> delivered to the Commissioner of Consumer Protection (C.G.S. 21a-262).
FIREARMS/ CONTRABAND	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be contraband and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be turned over to the Bureau of Identification of the Connecticut State Police Division for <input type="checkbox"/> destruction <input type="checkbox"/> appropriate use <input type="checkbox"/> disposal by sale at public auction (C.G.S. 54-36e) or <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 26-85 and 26-90.
NUISANCE, CONTRABAND OR OTHER PROPERTY	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be a nuisance, contraband or other property ordered to be forfeited and it is hereby ordered disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
GAMBLING	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged seized, pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 53-278c and said item(s) are hereby ordered to be disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> property used in gambling shall be turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

BY ORDER OF THE COURT (Name of Judge)

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A., OR JUVENILE

SIGNED (Judge)

DATE SIGNED

**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION
SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

JD-CR-61 Rev. 3-10
C.G.S. §§ 54-33a, 54-33c, 54-33j

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT

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Form JD-CR-52 must also be completed

Instructions To Applicant

File the application for the warrant and all affidavits upon which the warrant is based with the clerk of the court for the geographical area within which any person who may be arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant would be presented, together with the return of the warrant.

Instructions To G.A. Clerk

Upon execution and return of the warrant, affidavits which are the subject of an order dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy to the owner, occupant or person within forty-eight hours shall remain in the custody of the clerk's office in a secure location apart from the remainder of the court file.

Police Case number **CFS12-00704559**

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

The undersigned, being duly sworn, complains on oath that the undersigned has probable cause to believe that certain property, to wit:

Blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, gunshot residue (GSR), weaponry and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, hatchets, axes, knives, cutting instrument and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers, and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles or items.

The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

☐ is possessed, controlled, designed or intended for use or which is or has been or may be used as the means of committing the criminal offense of: _____

☐ was stolen or embezzled from: _____

☒ constitutes evidence of the following offense or that a particular person participated in the commission of the offense of:

Murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c

☐ is in the possession, custody or control of a journalist or news organization, to wit: _____

☐ and such person or organization has committed or is committing the following offense which is related to such property: _____

☐ and such property constitutes contraband or an instrumentality of the criminal offense of: _____

And is within or upon a certain person, place, or thing, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

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(This is page 1 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET [Signature] 507
Newtown	12.14.12	Det [Signature] - 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

And the facts establishing the grounds for issuing a Search and Seizure Warrant are the following:

1. That the affiant Detective James McGlynn, #1268 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 23 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant McGlynn is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
2. That the affiant Detective Scott Wisner, #507 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 20 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant Wisner is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
3. That on Friday, 12/14/12, at approximately 0935 hours, Newtown Police Department received a 911 call from a caller at the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT. The caller reported that an active shooting situation was occurring at the Sandy Hook Elementary School.
4. That as a result of the 911 call, numerous law enforcement personnel including members from the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown. Upon arrival, law enforcement personnel conducted a search of the interior and exterior of the school. Investigators located CT registration 872YEO, a 2010, black colored Honda Civic unoccupied and parked in the fire lane directly in front of the school. The registered owner for the Honda Civic is Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
5. That as investigators entered the school numerous school children and school personnel were located deceased from apparent gunshot wounds in the first three classrooms located off the main hallway, adjacent to the school's front entrance. That investigators also located a teenaged white male dressed in military style clothing, wearing a bullet proof vest lying deceased on the floor in the middle classroom. That the deceased male was in possession of several handguns as well as a military style assault weapon.
6. That law enforcement personnel including members of the Connecticut State Police, Emergency Service Unit, responded to the residence of Nancy Lanza at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. Upon arrival at Lanza's residence, Connecticut State Police Emergency Service Unit gained entry into the house and located a deceased middle aged white female lying in a supine position on a bed in the 2nd floor master bedroom. The white female sustained an apparent gunshot wound to her forehead. Investigators located a rifle on the floor near the bed.
7. That investigators conducted a further search of a residence, and no other people were inside the house. A vehicle (Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza) was noted as being located parked within the garage of the residence, which is located attached and under the residence. The house, including the vehicle, has been secured by investigators for the preservation of evidence.
8. That the Affiants have personal knowledge, based upon their experience and training, that crimes of violence involve a struggle, a break, the use of weapons and other instrumentalities, and/or the element of unpredictability; the person or persons participating in the commission of a violent crime is/are in contact with physical surroundings in a forceful or otherwise detectable manner; there is often an attempt to alter, destroy, remove, clean up, or cover up evidence of a crime. That traces may be left in the form of blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, weapons and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, knives, hatchets, axes, cutting instruments and cutting tools,

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Newtown	12-14-12	Det. J. McGlynn #1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John Z. Brown

blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, gunshot residue (GSR), dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles. Many of the above items are minute and/or microscopic, thus requiring additional specialized examination by forensic science laboratory techniques, such as that performed by the Connecticut State Police Forensic Science Laboratory.

9. That the Affiants also have personal knowledge, based upon their experience and training, that a crime scene, such as described above, will contain physical evidence, hereinbefore itemized, which will aid in establishing the identity of the perpetrator(s), the circumstances under which the crime was committed, and/or which in general will assist in the discovery of the pertinent facts and that such evidence requires a systematic search to locate, seize, record and process. That trace evidence left in the forms mentioned above is easily transferred between participants and inanimate objects such as surroundings, including their home or motor vehicle. That it is reasonable to believe and expect that a person responsible for committing a crime, such as the one described in this affidavit would come in contact with these forms of trace evidence and transfer them to their surroundings.

10. That the Affiants also have personal knowledge that the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony St in Meriden, CT has the equipment, personnel and expertise necessary to conduct physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis, including but not limited to biological and chemical testing, instrumental analysis, firearms, photography, biochemistry, DNA, criminalistics, fingerprints, in order to locate, identify, compare and reconstruct items of evidence and trace evidence to aid in establishing the circumstances of the crime and identity of the participants involved in the crime. The Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory will use standardized and documented procedures to extract, amplify and detect DNA from evidentiary items and samples taken from known individuals. The resulting DNA profiles from the evidentiary items will be compared to the known individuals' profiles and the results documented in a laboratory report.

11. Based upon the facts and circumstances described above, your Affiants have probable cause to believe that evidence of the crime of murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c, will be found within 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut, and its curtilage, or upon the person of the deceased middle aged white female, who at this time has not been positively identified.

12. Therefore, your affiants are requesting a Search and Seizure warrant be issued for the residence at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut, and its curtilage including the aforementioned vehicle within (Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza), or upon the person of the deceased middle aged white female, who at this time has not been positively identified.

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Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

The undersigned ("X" one) ☒ has not presented this application in any other court or to any other judge or judge trial referee.

☐ has presented this application in another court or to another judge or judge trial referee (*specify*):

Wherefore the undersigned requests that a warrant may issue commanding a proper officer to search said person or to enter into or upon said place or thing, search the same, and take into custody all such property.

☒ And to submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

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Newtown	12.14.12	Det. [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

**AFFIDAVIT REQUESTING DISPENSATION WITH
REQUIREMENT OF DELIVERY
pursuant to § 54-33c, Connecticut General Statutes**

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

For the reasons set forth below, the undersigned, being duly sworn, requests that the judge / judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the application for the warrant and a copy of any affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein with forty-eight hours of the search:

- ☐ The personal safety of a confidential informant would be jeopardized by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☒ The search is part of a continuing investigation which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☐ The giving of such affidavits at such time would require disclosure of information or material prohibited from being disclosed by chapter 959a of the general statutes;

- ☐ In addition, it is requested that the requirement of advance service of this warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought, be waived pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a);

and the specific details with regard to such reasons are as follows:

The disclosure of the aforementioned information could potentially jeopardize the ongoing investigation.

The undersigned further requests that this affidavit also be included in such nondelivery.

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Newtown	12-14-12	Det. [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

The foregoing Affidavit and Application for Search and Seizure Warrant having been presented to and been considered by the undersigned, a Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee, and the foregoing Affidavit having been subscribed and sworn to by the affiant(s) before me at the time it was presented, the undersigned (a) is satisfied therefrom that grounds exist for said application, and (b) finds that said affidavit established grounds and probable cause for the undersigned to issue this Search and Seizure Warrant, such probable cause being the following: From said affidavit, the undersigned finds that there is probable cause for the undersigned to believe that the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application is within or upon the person, if any, named or described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or the place or thing, if any, described in the foregoing affidavit and application, under the conditions and circumstances set forth in the foregoing affidavit and application, and that, therefore, a Search and Seizure warrant should issue for said property.

NOW THEREFORE, by Authority of the State of Connecticut, I hereby command any Police Officer of a regularly organized police department, any State Police Officer, any inspector in the Division of Criminal Justice, or any conservation officer, special conservation officer or patrol officer acting pursuant to C.G.S. § 26-6 to whom these presents shall come within ten days after the date of this warrant to enter into or upon and search the place or thing described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or search the person described in the foregoing affidavit and application or both, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

for the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application, to wit:

Blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, gunshot residue (GSR), weaponry and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, hatchets, axes, knives, cutting instrument and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers, and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles or items.

The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

☒ submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

and upon finding said property to seize the same, take and keep it in custody until the further order of the court, and with reasonable promptness make due return of this warrant accompanied by a written inventory of all property seized.

☒ The foregoing request that the judge or judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the warrant application and affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein and that the affidavit in support of such request also be included in such nondelivery is hereby:

☒ GRANTED for a period of

NOT TO EXCEED 2 WEEKS BEYOND DATE WARRANT IS EXECUTED

until Dec. 28, 2012

This order, or any extension thereof, dispensing with said requirement shall not limit disclosure of such application and affidavits to the attorney for a person arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant unless, upon motion of the prosecuting authority within two weeks of such arraignment the court finds that the state's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs the defendant's right to disclosure.

☐ DENIED.

☐ Service of this Search Warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought is hereby waived, pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a).

(NOTE: AFFIANT'S OATH MUST BE TAKEN PRIOR TO JUDGE / JUDGE TRIAL REFEREE SIGNING BELOW)

(This is page 6 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

Signed at <u>Newtown</u> , Connecticut, on: <u>Dec. 14, 2012</u>	Date	At (Time) <u>5:29</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> a.m.
Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) <u>John F. Blawie</u>	Print name of Judicial Official	<u>Hon. John F. Blawie</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.

**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Inventory control number		
Judicial District of <u>Danbury</u>	G.A. <u>3</u>	At (Address of Court) <u>146 White St. Danbury</u>
Docket number CR-	Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS12-00705354
Date of seizure 12-14-12		Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: _____, consisting of

Item #6 - One small caliber bullet (live round) labeled "C".

Item #9 - (5) Winchester 12ga. shotgun shells, cut open, with buckshot.

Item #13 - Contents of brown gun safe to include the following:

- One white plastic bag containing (30) Winchester 12ga. shotgun shells.
- Black leather handgun holster.
- "Planters" can with numerous .22cal. and .45 cal. bullets.
- Box containing (8) boxes of Winchester Windcat .22cal. bullets with 50 rounds per box.
- Box with 20 "Estate" 12ga. shotgun shells.
- (4) boxes of "SB" buckshot 12ga., 10 rounds per box.
- Box of "Lightfield" 12ga. slugs.
- Box of 20 "Prvi Partizan" 303 British rifle cartridges.
- Box of 20 - "Federal" 303 British rifle cartridges.
- 2 boxes of 22 long rifle "Blazer", 50 rounds each.
- Small plastic bag of screws and allen .
- Small blue folding knife.
- Wooden box with numerous rounds of "Winchester" .45cal bullets.
- (2) boxes of 50 rounds - "PPU .45cal. auto.
- Box of 20 rounds "Remington" .223cal.
- (3) boxes of "Blazer" 40 S&W, 50 rounds each.
- (2) boxes of "Winchester" 5.56mm, 20 rounds each.
- Box of "Magtech" 45ACP with 30 rounds.
- Empty box of "SSA" 5.56mm.
- Box of "Fiocchi" .45auto with 48 rounds.
- Box for "Battle Tested" vest accessories.
- Leather Dual magazine holder.
- 80 rounds of "CCI" .22 long rifle.
- (6) boxes of "PMC" .223 rem, 20 rounds each.
- "Safariland" holster paperwork.
- (6) "Winchester" 9 pellet buckshot shells (12ga.)
- (2) "Remington" 12ga. slugs

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and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-16-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) DA [Signature] UTA PAYETTE CSP

NOTE: Form JD-CR-60, pages 1 - 6 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Judicial District of DANBURY		G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 WHITE ST DANBURY CT		Inventory control number
Docket number CR-		Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS12-00705354		Date of seizure 12-14-12
					Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lansa, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: _____, consisting of

Continuation of Item #13:

- 3 "Winchester" .223 rifle rounds.
- (31) .22cal. rounds.

Item #14 - One Enfield Albion bolt action rifle, .323 caliber, model no. 44MKI, SN HC22273A

Item #15 - Contents from second shelf in bedroom closet to include:

- (2) boxes of "Underwood" 10mm auto each with 50 rounds.
- (130) rounds of "Lawman" 9mm luger in 3 boxes.
- Handwritten note card regarding ammunition and magazines
- "Glock" handgun manual
- MD-20, 20 round shotgun magazine manual
- MD Arms V-Plug guide
- Plastic bag of misc. parts.
- "Peltor" ear plugs.

Item #17 - Contents from third shelf in bedroom closet to include:

- (2) spent shell casings from factory for Glock 10mm, SN - SMA461.
- "Bushmaster" XM15 and C15 instruction manual.
- "Savage Arms" bolt action rifle manual.
- "Glock" paperwork.
- (1) "Promag" 20 round, 12ga. drum magazine.
- (1) "MDArms" 20 round 12ga. drum magazine.
- (1) "Uncle Mikes" Sidekick nylon holster.
- (1) Metal Bayonet
- Small box of misc. rounds.

Item #20 - Contents of top drawer of filing cabinet to include:

- Empty box of "Gold Dot" 9mm luger.
- (2) empty boxes of "Winchester" 9mm luger.
- Box of "Underwood" 10mm auto with 34 of 50 rounds.
- Magazine with 10 rounds of .223cal bullets.
- Box of misc. 9mm rounds (29 total).
- (3) "AGP Arms Inc" 12ga. shotgun magazines (empty).

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and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-16-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) Det. [Signature] 671 Pampete CSP

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**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Inventory control number			
Judicial District of DANBURY	G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 White ST DANBURY, CT	Date of seizure 12-14-12
Docket number CR-	Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS12-00705354	Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: _____, consisting of

CONTINUATION OF ITEM #20:

- (1) "Surefire GunMag" magazine with 8 rounds of Winchester 12ga. 9pellet buck.
- (2) "AGP Arms Inc" 12ga. shotgun magazines, taped together, each with 10 rounds Winchester 12ga. 9 pellet buck.
- (1) "High Sierra" fanny pack.

Item #21 - One "Savage Mark II" .22cal rifle, SN 1605038, with magazine, 3 live rounds, and 1 spent cartridge.

Item #22 - (1) spent .22cal shell casing.

Item #26 - One cotton swab of BLS (Blood Like Substance).

Item #30 - (1) tan sheet with BLS.

Item #36 - (1) tan fitted sheet with BLS.

Item #37 - (1) orange towel with green and white stripes, and BLS.

Item #42 - (5) paper targets.

Item #45 - One cardboard target.

Item #47 - Contents of "Nike" shoe box to include:

- One small plastic bag containing numerous .22cal. bullets.
- (2) empty "Ram Line" magazines for Ruger 10-22.

Item #48 - Tan bag containing personal hygiene items, ear protection, and plastic bag with numerous "Blazer" .45cal. bullets.

Item #54 - One "AGP Arms Inc" Gen 2 12ga. shotgun magazine with 10 rounds of Winchester 12ga. 9 pel. buck.

Item #57 - One blue and white duffel bag containing the following:

- Full box of "Blazer" .22cal long rifle (50 rounds).
- Leightning L3 ear protection.
- (2) sets of eye protection.
- "Simmons" binoculars.
- Box of "PPU" 303 British cartridges with 9 rounds.
- (2) "Win 9mm" rounds.
- Numerous paper targets.
- Adam Lanza National Rifle Association certificate.

Item #65 - One brass colored shell casing.

Item #66 - One brass colored shell casing.

*****END*****

and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-16-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) [Signature] 679 PAYETTE CSP

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**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Inventory control number			
Judicial District of Danbury	G.A. c	At (Address of Court) 146 White St., Danbury	Date of seizure 12-17-12
Docket number CR-	Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS12-00705354	Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lansa, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: none, consisting of

ADDENDUM TO RETURN SUBMITTED ON 12-17-12

Item #91 - One digital image print of a child and various firearms.

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and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-17-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) [Signature] + 679 CSP-EDMCS
NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - 6 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.
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**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Judicial District of Danbury			G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 White Street, Danbury, CT	Inventory control number
Docket number CR-		Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS12-00705354	Date of seizure 12/20/12	Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in the front of the house. Also including Connecticut registration 593XGR, 2009 BMW, color silver, registered to Nancy Lanza located within the attached garage of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☐ Total Cash Seized: N/A, consisting of Attendum to Return submitted on 12/28/12

- Exhibit #613 - One (1) knife with a 12 inch blade and a sheath.
- Exhibit #614 - One (1) wooden handle knife with a 7.5 inch blade and a sheath.
- Exhibit #615 - One (1) wooden handle knife with a 10 inch blade.
- Exhibit #616 - One (1) black marksman BB gun, serial #32814.
- Exhibit #617 - One (1) knife with a 5.5 inch blade and a sheath.
- Exhibit #618 - One (1) black handled knife with a 7 inch blade and a sheath.
- Exhibit #619 - One (1) Busnell sport view rifle scope, 4x32mm.
- Exhibit #620 - One (1) black rubber handled knife with a 9.5 inch blade and a sheath.
- Exhibit #621 - One (1) white and brown handled knife with a 5 inch blade and sheath.
- Exhibit #622 - One (1) brown wood handled knife with a 10.25 inch blade.
- Exhibit #623 - One (1) clear plastic Ramline magazine for an AR15.
- Exhibit #624 - One (1) Panther brand brown handled folding knife with a 3.75 inch blade.
- Exhibit #625 - One (1) Volcanic .22 revolver sterter pistol with 5 live rounds and 1 expended round.
- Exhibit #626 - One (1) six foot ten inch wood handled two sided pole with a blade on one side and a spear on the opposite side.
- Exhibit #627 - One (1) Samurai sword with a canvass wrapped handle and a 28 inch blade with a sheath.
- Exhibit #628 - One (1) Samurai sword with a canvass wrapped handle and a 21 inch blade with a sheath.
- Exhibit #629 - One (1) Samurai sword with a canvass wrapped handle and a 13 inch blade with a sheath.

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and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner and Son Deceased. No Copy Distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____ the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 10 of a 10 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 1/7/13 Signed (Officer's signature and department) [Signature] #869 CSP - COMC

NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - 10 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT, DATED
DECEMBER 14, 2012 AT 7:25 P.M.

: SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND
ADAM LANZA, 36 YOGANANDA STREET
IN SANDY HOOK, CT. THE RESIDENCE IS
A 2 STORY COLONIAL STYLE STRUCTURE,
WITH AN ATTACHED TWO CAR GARAGE.
THE HOUSE IS PALE YELLOW WITH DARK
GREEN SHUTTERS AND A DARK GREEN
FRONT DOOR. THE FULL ADDRESS,
36 YOGANANDA STREET IS LISTED ON THE
MAILBOX LOCATED IN FRONT OF THE HOUSE."

: JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

: AT DANBURY

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS-12-00704559

: MARCH 27, 2013

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR PARTIAL
REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT AND
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,¹ the law enforcement privilege,² the informant privilege,³ and Title 18 U.S.C. and the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A 90 day extension of the period of time partially redacting the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy of the same to the owner for the same time: to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of paragraphs 8, 9, 10 of the affidavit which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application, warrant and return.

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C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.
See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seebeck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).
State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

- b. A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 11 of the affidavit, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application, warrant and return.
- c. A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the serial numbers of items 4, 43, 93, 94 and 601 of the items listed on the return, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application and warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

- 1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;
- 2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
- 3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing.

That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities.

Additionally,

-There is information contained in the non-redacted search warrant affidavit and return that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved;

- That disclosure and delivery of the non-redacted search warrant affidavit and return would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any potential suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

-There is information contained in the non-redacted search warrant affidavit that is prohibited from disclosure by law.

-There is information contained in the non-redacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and

- That disclosure and delivery of the non-redacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

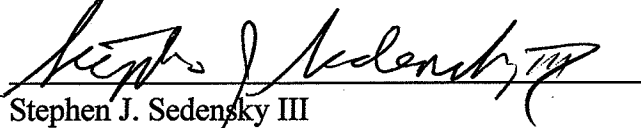
As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the non-redacted affidavit application and return and (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT, DATED
DECEMBER 14, 2012 AT 7:25 P.M.

: SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND
ADAM LANZA, 36 YOGANANDA STREET
IN SANDY HOOK, CT. THE RESIDENCE IS
A 2 STORY COLONIAL STYLE STRUCTURE,
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36 YOGANANDA STREET IS LISTED ON THE
MAILBOX LOCATED IN FRONT OF THE HOUSE."

: JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

: AT DANBURY

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS-12-00704559

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ORDER

The March 27, 2013 application of the prosecuting authority for partial redaction of unsealed search warrant application, affidavit and return, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED/ DENIED as follows:

- a. Paragraphs 8, 9, 10 of the affidavit are ordered redacted and sealed for 90 days from March 27, 2013.
- b. Paragraph 11 of the affidavit is ordered redacted to delete the name and identity of the citizen witness.
- c. Serial numbers in items 4, 43, 93, 94 and 601 of the return are ordered redacted.

The redacted version of the search warrant application, affidavit and returns are ordered to be made available to the public. The originals shall remain sealed in the custody of the Clerk. This order is to take effect at 12:00:01 a.m., March 28, 2013.

March 27, 2013



Judge of the Superior Court
Hon. John F. Blawie

IN RE

SEARCH WARRANT, DATED December 14, 2012 at 7:25 p.m. AND

SIGNED BY THE HONORABLE JOHN F. BLAWIE, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters and a dark green front door. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house."
Police case number CFS-12-00704559

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
EXTENSION OF PERIOD SEALING SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT
AND DISPENSING WITH REQUIREMENT OF GIVING COPY OF SAME TO OWNER,
OCCUPANT OR PERSON NAMED THEREIN AND FOR SEALING OF SEARCH WARRANT
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276¹ and the law enforcement privilege² the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the search warrant application and affidavit and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same to the owner, occupant or person named therein for the same time; and
- b. An **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the return of the search warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit; and

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C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.

See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seeböck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).

2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing and no arrests have been made and none are currently anticipated, but have not been ruled out.

Additionally,

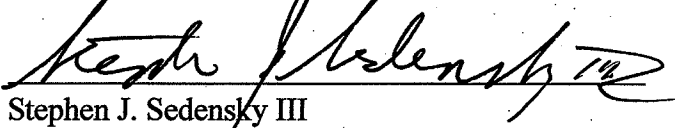
- There is information contained in the search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the affidavit would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any potential suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavit, application and return and the unsealing of the same at this time (54-33c(a)).

December 26, 2012

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III
State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney
146 White Street
Danbury, CT 06810

**IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012 AT 7:25 P.M.**

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SUPERIOR COURT

**FOR THE RESIDENCE OF
NANCY AND ADAM LANZA
36 YOGANANDA STREET
SANDY HOOK, CONNECTICUT**

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OF DANBURY

**POLICE CASE NUMBER:
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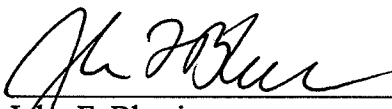
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ORDER

The application of the prosecuting authority, the Danbury State's Attorney, having been considered, it is hereby GRANTED.

The period of time sealing the search warrant application, affidavit and return, and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same is hereby extended for a period of ninety (90) days from the date hereof. The court finds that due to the nature and circumstances of this case and the ongoing investigation, the State's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs any right to public disclosure at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



John F. Blawie
Judge of the Superior Court

**PROPERTY SEIZED UNDER
SEARCH WARRANT**JD-CR-52 Rev. 10-01
C.G.S. §§ 21a-262, 53-278c, 54-33g,
54-36a, 54-36e, 54-36g, 54-36h**CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT**
(Staple to JD-CR-61 as page 7)

COURT DOCKET NO.

U.A.R. NO./JUV. SUMMONS NO.

COMPANION CASE NO.

CPS12-00704559

TOWN OF SEIZURE

SANDY HOOK

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M.

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POLICE CASE/RECEIPT NO.

CPS1200704559

PART A INVENTORY NO.

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NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT/SUBJECT

ADAM LANZA (DECEASED) 36 YOGANANDA ST. SANDY HOOK

ADDRESS OF COURT

146 WHITE ST. DANBURY, CT

SECTION I. NO IN REM (Complete this section if In Rem was not served)Notice is hereby given to the court of the foregoing Return of Property seized on Search and Seizure Warrant.
No In Rem proceedings have been filed in the office of the clerk.

DATED AT (Town)

ON (Date)

SIGNED (Assistant Clerk)

COURT

SECTION II. IN REM (Complete this section only if In Rem was served)

Whereas, as appears on file, the property referred to in the above summons was duly seized and, in accordance with the statute and as appears above, a summons was duly issued and served, commanding the owner(s) thereof and all others whom it may concern to appear before this court, to show cause why the said property should not be forfeited, adjudged a nuisance and ordered to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, and whereas said owner(s):

☐ appeared, thereupon being made
party defendant(s) and after hearing☐ made default of appearance☐ executed the foregoing waiver

the court adjudged the property referred to in said summons and entered the following order:

SECTION III. ORDER OF THE COURT (Complete this section in both cases)

ASSET FORFEITURE	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are subject to an in rem asset forfeiture proceeding pursuant to C.G.S. § 54-36h. See attached form.
RETURN TO OWNER(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby ordered returned to the rightful owner(s) within 6 months from the date of this order, upon proper claim therefore, OTHERWISE the property shall be disposed of pursuant to Section 54-36a of the Connecticut General Statutes as follows:
	<input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)	
EVIDENTIARY FUNDS AT A FINANCIAL INST.	The financial institution holding evidentiary funds seized by the _____ Police Department/Law Enforcement agency shall issue a check in the amount of _____ dollars payable to _____	
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be controlled drug(s), substance(s) or drug paraphernalia and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be: <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed (C.G.S. 54-36a; 54-36g). <input type="checkbox"/> delivered to the Commissioner of Consumer Protection (C.G.S. 21a-262).
FIREARMS/ CONTRABAND	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be contraband and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be turned over to the Bureau of Identification of the Connecticut State Police Division for <input type="checkbox"/> destruction <input type="checkbox"/> appropriate use <input type="checkbox"/> disposal by sale at public auction (C.G.S. 54-36e) or <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 26-85 and 26-90.
NUISANCE, CONTRABAND OR OTHER PROPERTY	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be a nuisance, contraband or other property ordered to be forfeited and it is hereby ordered disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
GAMBLING	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged seized, pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 53-278c and said item(s) are hereby ordered to be disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> property used in gambling shall be turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

BY ORDER OF THE COURT (Name of Judge)	JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A., OR JUVENILE	SIGNED (Judge)	DATE SIGNED
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**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION
SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

JD-CR-61 Rev. 3-10

C.G.S. §§ 54-33a, 54-33c, 54-33j

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
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Form JD-CR-52 must also be completed

Instructions To Applicant

File the application for the warrant and all affidavits upon which the warrant is based with the clerk of the court for the geographical area within which any person who may be arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant would be presented, together with the return of the warrant.

Instructions To G.A. Clerk

Upon execution and return of the warrant, affidavits which are the subject of an order dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy to the owner, occupant or person within forty-eight hours shall remain in the custody of the clerk's office in a secure location apart from the remainder of the court file.

Police Case number **CFS-12-00704559**

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

The undersigned, being duly sworn, complains on oath that the undersigned has probable cause to believe that certain property, to wit:

Computers (including gaming devices and cellular telephones), zip disks, CD's, CDR's, DVD's, and other electronic storage media because; (1) The objects themselves may be instrumentalities, fruits, or evidence of a crime and (2) The objects may have been used to collect and store information about crimes in the form of electronic "data" (as defined by Connecticut General Statutes 53a-250(8)). Such data may include image files, video files, text files, or other electronically stored documents. Connecticut General Statutes define a "computer" as a programmable, electronic device capable of accepting and processing data, such as a gaming console, cellular telephone, and other similar devices.

☐ is possessed, controlled, designed or intended for use or which is or has been or may be used as the means of committing the criminal offense of: _____

☐ was stolen or embezzled from: _____

☒ constitutes evidence of the following offense or that a particular person participated in the commission of the offense of:

Murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c

☐ is in the possession, custody or control of a journalist or news organization, to wit: _____

☐ and such person or organization has committed or is committing the following offense which is related to such property: _____

☐ and such property constitutes contraband or an instrumentality of the criminal offense of: _____

And is within or upon a certain person, place, or thing, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters and a dark green front door. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET. [Signature]
Newtown	12.14.12	Det. [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

And the facts establishing the grounds for issuing a Search and Seizure Warrant are the following:

1. That the affiant Detective James McGlynn, #1268 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 23 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant McGlynn is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
2. That the affiant Detective Scott Wisner, #507 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 20 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant Wisner is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
3. That on Friday, 12/14/12, at approximately 0935 hours, Newtown Police Department received a 911 call from a caller at the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT. The caller reported that an active shooting situation was occurring at the Sandy Hook Elementary School.
4. That as a result of the 911 call, numerous law enforcement personnel including members from the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown. Upon arrival, law enforcement personnel conducted a search of the interior and exterior of the school. Investigators located CT registration 872YEO, a 2010, black colored Honda Civic unoccupied and parked in the fire lane directly in front of the school. The registered owner for the Honda Civic is Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
5. That as investigators entered the school numerous school children and school personnel were located deceased from apparent gunshot wounds in the first three classrooms located off the main hallway, adjacent to the school's front entrance. That investigators also located a teenaged white male dressed in military style clothing, wearing a bullet proof vest lying deceased on the floor in the middle classroom. That the deceased male was in possession of several handguns as well as a military style assault weapon. That the deceased male has been tentatively identified as Adam Lanza, DOB 04/22/92, who resides at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
6. That law enforcement personnel including members of the Connecticut State Police, Emergency Service Unit, responded to the residence of Nancy Lanza at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. Upon arrival at Lanza's residence, Connecticut State Police Emergency Service Unit gained entry into the house and located a deceased middle aged white female lying in a supine position on a bed in the 2nd floor master bedroom. The white female sustained an apparent gunshot wound to her forehead. Investigators located a rifle on the floor near the bed. The deceased white female is presumed to be Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60.
7. That, investigators also noted a smashed computer hard drive on top of a desk in what is believed to be Adam Lanza's bedroom. Investigators also noted a gaming console and gun safe in the same room.

8. [REDACTED]
9. [REDACTED]

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET Scott Wisner
Newtown	12-14-12	Det J. McGlynn 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John J. Blawie

10. [REDACTED]

11. That 12/14/12, Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation interviewed [REDACTED] rarely leaves his home and considers him to be a shut in and an avid gamer who plays Call of Duty, amongst other games. [REDACTED] has a gun safe containing at least four guns. [REDACTED] had attended Sandy Hook Elementary School and that the school was Adam Lanza's "life."

12. That on 12/14/12 the affiants applied for and received a Search and Seizure Warrant (Mincey Warrant) for the residence located at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut. The Search and Seizure Warrant was authorized by the Honorable John F. Blawie.

13. That the Affiants have knowledge that any computers and their related storage devices, including but not limited to computers (including gaming devices and cellular telephones), zip disks, CD's, CDR's, DVD's, and other electronic storage media because; (1) The objects themselves may be instrumentalities, fruits, or evidence of a crime and (2) The objects may have been used to collect and store information about crimes in the form of electronic "data" (as defined by Connecticut General Statutes 53a-250(8)). Such data may include image files, video files, text files, or other electronically stored documents. Connecticut General Statutes define a "computer" as a programmable, electronic device capable of accepting and processing data, such as a gaming console, cellular telephone, and other similar devices.

14. That the Affiants are requesting authorization to make human readable copies or recordings of the computer data contained within these devices in order to preserve and protect the information and to thereafter seize, read, listen to, copy, and maintain the described property.

15. That the computer system, computer system documentation, gaming devices, cellular telephones and data will be sent to the Department of Public Safety Computer and Electronics Unit (278 Colony St in Meriden, CT) and/or other recognized and accredited forensic science laboratory for forensic examination and review. The Department of Public Safety Computer and Electronics Unit is one of several units in the state that has the ability and established procedures for retrieving and duplicating such electronic data and information stored within a computer system as defined by Connecticut General Statute 53a-250, or associated media devices capable of storing data as defined by Connecticut General Statute 53a-250(8).

16. Based upon the facts and circumstances described above, your Affiants have probable cause to believe that evidence of the crime of murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c, will be found within 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut, and its curtilage.

17. Therefore, your affiants are requesting a Search and Seizure Warrant be issued for the residence at 36

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET [Signature] 507
Newtown	12-14-12	Det [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut, and its curtilage for including but not limited to computers (including gaming devices and cellular telephones), zip disks, CD's, CDR's, DVD's, and other electronic storage media because; (1) The objects themselves may be instrumentalities, fruits, or evidence of a crime and (2) The objects may have been used to collect and store information about crimes in the form of electronic "data" (as defined by Connecticut General Statutes 53a-250(8)). Such data may include image files, video files, text files, or other electronically stored documents. Connecticut General Statutes define a "computer" as a programmable, electronic device capable of accepting and processing data, such as a gaming console, cellular telephone, and other similar devices.

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET SCOR M 507
Newtown	12.14.12	DET. [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

The undersigned ("X" one) ☒ has not presented this application in any other court or to any other judge or judge trial referee.
☐ has presented this application in another court or to another judge or judge trial referee (specify):

Wherefore the undersigned requests that a warrant may issue commanding a proper officer to search said person or to enter into or upon said place or thing, search the same, and take into custody all such property.

☒ And to submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

Department of Public Safety Computer and Electronics Unit (278 Colony St in Meriden, CT) and/or other recognized and accredited forensic science laboratory for forensic examination and review.

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12-14-12	DET [Signature] 1268
Newtown	12-14-12	DET [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

**AFFIDAVIT REQUESTING DISPENSATION WITH
REQUIREMENT OF DELIVERY**
pursuant to § 54-33c, Connecticut General Statutes

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

For the reasons set forth below, the undersigned, being duly sworn, requests that the judge / judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the application for the warrant and a copy of any affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein with forty-eight hours of the search:

☐ The personal safety of a confidential informant would be jeopardized by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;

☒ The search is part of a continuing investigation which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;

☐ The giving of such affidavits at such time would require disclosure of information or material prohibited from being disclosed by chapter 959a of the general statutes;

☐ In addition, it is requested that the requirement of advance service of this warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought, be waived pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a);

and the specific details with regard to such reasons are as follows:

This is an active and evolving investigation in which the identification of additional suspect(s) and co-conspirators could be potentially compromised by disclosure of the aforementioned information at this juncture.

The undersigned further requests that this affidavit also be included in such nondelivery.

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET SCORNY 507
Newtown	12.14.12	Det. [Signature] 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

The foregoing Affidavit and Application for Search and Seizure Warrant having been presented to and been considered by the undersigned, a Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee, and the foregoing Affidavit having been subscribed and sworn to by the affiant(s) before me at the time it was presented, the undersigned (a) is satisfied therefrom that grounds exist for said application, and (b) finds that said affidavit established grounds and probable cause for the undersigned to issue this Search and Seizure Warrant, such probable cause being the following: From said affidavit, the undersigned finds that there is probable cause for the undersigned to believe that the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application is within or upon the person, if any, named or described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or the place or thing, if any, described in the foregoing affidavit and application, under the conditions and circumstances set forth in the foregoing affidavit and application, and that, therefore, a Search and Seizure warrant should issue for said property.

NOW THEREFORE, by Authority of the State of Connecticut, I hereby command any Police Officer of a regularly organized police department, any State Police Officer, any inspector in the Division of Criminal Justice, or any conservation officer, special conservation officer or patrol officer acting pursuant to C.G.S. § 26-6 to whom these presents shall come within ten days after the date of this warrant to enter into or upon and search the place or thing described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or search the person described in the foregoing affidavit and application or both, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters and a dark green front door. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

for the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application, to wit:

Computers (including gaming devices and cellular telephones), zip disks, CD's, CDR's, DVD's, and other electronic storage media because; (1) The objects themselves may be instrumentalities, fruits, or evidence of a crime and (2) The objects may have been used to collect and store information about crimes in the form of electronic "data" (as defined by Connecticut General Statutes 53a-250(8)). Such data may include image files, video files, text files, or other electronically stored documents. Connecticut General Statutes define a "computer" as a programmable, electronic device capable of accepting and processing data, such as a gaming console, cellular telephone, and other similar devices.

☒ submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

Department of Public Safety Computer and Electronics Unit (278 Colony St in Meriden, CT) and/or other recognized and accredited forensic science laboratory for forensic examination and review.

and upon finding said property to seize the same, take and keep it in custody until the further order of the court, and with reasonable promptness make due return of this warrant accompanied by a written inventory of all property seized.

☒ The foregoing request that the judge or judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the warrant application and affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein and that the affidavit in support of such request also be included in such nondelivery is hereby:

NOT TO EXCEED 2 WEEKS BEYOND DATE WARRANT IS EXECUTED

☒ GRANTED for a period of

Dec. 28, 2012

This order, or any extension thereof, dispensing with said requirement shall not limit disclosure of such application and affidavits to the attorney for a person arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant unless, upon motion of the prosecuting authority within two weeks of such arraignment the court finds that the state's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs the defendant's right to disclosure.

☐ DENIED.

☐ Service of this Search Warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought is hereby waived, pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a).

(NOTE: AFFIANT'S OATH MUST BE TAKEN PRIOR TO JUDGE / JUDGE TRIAL REFEREE SIGNING BELOW)

(This is page 7 of a 8 page Affidavit and Application.)

Signed at <i>Newtown</i> , Connecticut, on: <i>Dec. 14, 2012</i>	Date	At (Time)	<input type="checkbox"/> a.m.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.
Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee)	Print name of Judicial Official			
<i>John F. Blawie</i>	Hon. John F. Blawie			

RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

Judicial District of <u>Danbury</u>	G.A. <u>3</u>	At (Address of Court) <u>146 White St Danbury</u>	Inventory control number
Docket number <u>CR-</u>	Uniform arrest number	Police case number <u>CFS12-00705354 / 12-00704559</u>	Date of seizure <u>12-14-12</u>
			Companion case number <u>CFS12-00704559</u>

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy Lansa, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: none, consisting of

- Item #1 - "Seagate" Barracuda 500gb hard drive, damaged.
- Item #2 - One custom built desktop computer with no hard drive.
- Item #3 - One "Sony Playstation 2" game console with controller and 8mb memory card.
- Item #4 - One Dell laptop, Inspiron 6000, SN - [REDACTED]
- Item #5 - One "Apple Iphone".
- Item #12 - One "Microsoft Xbox" with partially obliterated serial number.
- Item #19 - One "Naturalizer" shoe box containing misc. video game parts and memory cards.
- Item #24 - One "Transcend" Storjet 160gb external USB hard drive.
- Item #25 - One hard drive platter.
- Item #27 - One "LG" Verizon cell phone with battery.
- Item #31 - One "Ivarea" USB device.
- Item #38 - One "Brother" MFG-J825DW fax machine.
- Item #41 - One AT&T telephone with digital answering system.
- Item #43 - One "XBox 360" game console, SN [REDACTED]
- Item #44 - One "Western Digital" WD800 80gb internal IDE hard drive.
- Item #58 - Contents of white plastic bag to include misc. vehicle paperwork, 6 verbatim CD-R's, handwritten notes regarding the addresses of local gun shops, and a Garmin Nuvi GPS unit with cord.

and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to the person named therein, on (Date) _____

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-14-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) [Signature] 1000 Payette CSP

NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - 6 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

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**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

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Judicial District of Danbury	G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 White St., Danbury
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Date of seizure 12-17-12		Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

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and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: none, consisting of

ADDENDUM TO RETURN SUBMITTED ON 12-17-12

- Item #90 - One "Verizon Samsung" clamshell style cellular telephone with box and manuals.
- Item #92 - One "Blackberry" Verizon cellular telephone.
- Item #93 - One "Lynksys" Wireless-G broadband router, SN [REDACTED]
- Item #94 - One "Motorola" Surfboard cable modem, SN [REDACTED]
- Item #95 - One "Cisco" DVR, model 8650HDC.

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and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____ the person named therein, on (Date) _____

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-17-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) [Signature] 1071 Fayette CSP-EDMCS

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RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

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			Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

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and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☐ Total Cash Seized: N/A, consisting of
Addendum to Return submitted on 12/28/12

- Exhibit #601 - One (1) box containing an IBM ThinkPad laptop computer, serial# [REDACTED] with a power cord.
- Exhibit #602 - Ten (10) miscellaneous computer components.
- Exhibit #603 - Twelve (12) miscellaneous CD-R and DVD-R discs containing unknown content.
- Exhibit #607 - Three (3) Radio Shack micro MC-60 cassettes with unknown content on them.
- Exhibit #634 - One (1) plastic case containing 29 CD-R discs.

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and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner and Son Deceased. No Copy Distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

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Date 1/7/13 Signed (Officer's signature and department) Det. [Signature] #869

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012

: SUPERIOR COURT

FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION
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: JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

: AT DANBURY

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS# 12-00704559

: MARCH 27, 2013

**PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S AMENDED APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
PARTIAL REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT
AND RETURN**

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,¹ the law enforcement privilege² and the informant privilege,³ the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 7 of the affidavit, which is attached in a sealed envelope to the prior version of this application relating to the above car together with the search warrant application, warrant and return, filed with the clerk on the morning of March 27, 2013. In the prior version the State had erroneously listed paragraph 5 as the paragraph to be redacted. The witness is described in paragraph 7.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.

See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP);

Seebeck v. State, 246 Conn. 514, 544-46 (1998).

State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

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1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;
2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing. That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities. Additionally,

- There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the disclosure of the name and identity of a citizen witness, whose personal safety may be jeopardized by releasing a unredacted copy of the affidavit at this time (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012

: SUPERIOR COURT

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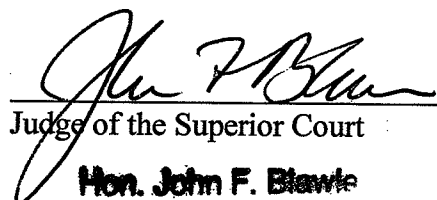
ORDER

The March 27, 2013 amended application of the prosecuting authority for partial redaction of unsealed search warrant application, affidavit and return, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED DENIED as follows:

Paragraph 7 of the affidavit is ordered redacted to delete the name and identity of the citizen witness.

The redacted version of the search warrant application, affidavit and returns are ordered to be made available to the public. The originals shall remain sealed in the custody of the Clerk. This order is to take effect at 12:00:01 a.m., March 28, 2013.

March 27, 2013



Judge of the Superior Court
Hon. John F. Blawie

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012

: SUPERIOR COURT

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: JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

: AT DANBURY

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS# 12-00704559

: MARCH 27, 2013

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR PARTIAL
REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT AND
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,¹ the law enforcement privilege² and the informant privilege,³ the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 5 of the affidavit, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application, warrant and return.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;

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2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing. That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities. Additionally,

- There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

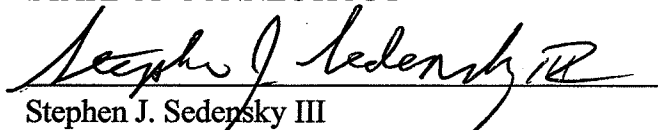
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The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the disclosure of the name and identity of a citizen witness, whose personal safety may be jeopardized by releasing a unredacted copy of the affidavit at this time (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012

: SUPERIOR COURT

FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION
872YEO, A 2010 HONDA CIVIC,
4-DOOR SEDAN, COLOR BLACK IS
PARKED IN FRONT OF THE SANDY HOOK
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,
12 DICKINSON DRIVE IN NEWTOWN, CT

: JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

: AT DANBURY

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS# 12-00704559 :

ORDER

The foregoing attached application of the prosecution authority, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED / DENIED.

_____, 2013

Judge of the Superior Court

IN RE

SEARCH WARRANT, DATED December 14, 2012 AND

SIGNED BY THE HONORABLE JOHN F. BLAWIE, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black is parked in front of the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT." Police Case number CFS# 12-00704559

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
EXTENSION OF PERIOD SEALING SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT
AND DISPENSING WITH REQUIREMENT OF GIVING COPY OF SAME TO OWNER,
OCCUPANT OR PERSON NAMED THEREIN AND FOR SEALING OF SEARCH WARRANT
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276¹ and the law enforcement privilege² the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the search warrant application and affidavit and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same to the owner, occupant or person named therein for the same time; and
- b. A **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the return of the search warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit; and

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C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.

See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seebeck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).

2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing and no arrests have been made and none are currently anticipated, but have not been ruled out.

Additionally,

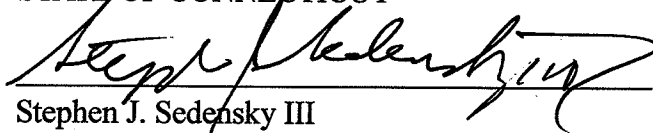
- There is information contained in the search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the affidavit would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavit, application and return and the unsealing of the same at this time (54-33c(a)).

December 26, 2012

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

**IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 14, 2012**

:

SUPERIOR COURT

**FOR CONNECTICUT REGISTRATION
872YEO, A 2010 HONDA CIVIC, 4 DOOR SEDAN
COLOR BLACK, PARKED IN FRONT OF
SANDY HOOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
12 DICKINSON DRIVE
NEWTOWN, CONNECTICUT**

:

JUDICIAL DISTRICT

:

OF DANBURY

**POLICE CASE NUMBER:
CFS12-00704559**

:

DECEMBER 27, 2012

ORDER

The application of the prosecuting authority, the Danbury State's Attorney, having been considered, it is hereby GRANTED.

The period of time sealing the search warrant application, affidavit and return, and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same is hereby extended for a period of ninety (90) days from the date hereof. The court finds that due to the nature and circumstances of this case and the ongoing investigation, the State's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs any right to public disclosure at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



John F. Blawie
Judge of the Superior Court

**PROPERTY SEIZED UNDER
SEARCH WARRANT**

JD-CR-52 Rev. 10-01

C.G.S. §§ 21a-262, 53-278c, 54-33g,
54-36a, 54-36e, 54-36g, 54-36h**CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT**
(Staple to JD-CR-61 as page 7)

COURT DOCKET NO.

U.A.R. NO./JUV. SUMMONS NO.

COMPANION CASE NO.

TOWN OF SEIZURE

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M.

POLICE CASE/ RECEIPT NO.
12-00204559

NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT/SUBJECT

ADDRESS OF COURT

Adam Lauer, 36 Yogananda St, Sandy Hook, CT
146 White St. Danbury, CT

Newtown

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SECTION I. NO IN REM (Complete this section if In Rem was not served)Notice is hereby given to the court of the foregoing Return of Property seized on Search and Seizure Warrant.
No In Rem proceedings have been filed in the office of the clerk.

DATED AT (Town)

ON (Date)

SIGNED (Assistant Clerk)

COURT

SECTION II. IN REM (Complete this section only if In Rem was served)

Whereas, as appears on file, the property referred to in the above summons was duly seized and, in accordance with the statute and as appears above, a summons was duly issued and served, commanding the owner(s) thereof and all others whom it may concern to appear before this court, to show cause why the said property should not be forfeited, adjudged a nuisance and ordered to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, and whereas said owner(s):

- ☐
- appeared, thereupon being made party defendant(s) and after hearing
- ☐
- made default of appearance
- ☐
- executed the foregoing waiver

the court adjudged the property referred to in said summons and entered the following order:

SECTION III. ORDER OF THE COURT (Complete this section in both cases)**ASSET
FORFEITURE**

ITEM(S) NUMBER

The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are subject to an in rem asset forfeiture proceeding pursuant to C.G.S. § 54-36h. See attached form.

**RETURN TO
OWNER(S)**

ITEM(S) NUMBER

The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby ordered returned to the rightful owner(s) within 6 months from the date of this order, upon proper claim therefore, OTHERWISE the property shall be disposed of pursuant to Section 54-36a of the Connecticut

General Statutes as follows:

- ☐
- money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund.
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- ☐
- turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund.
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- ☐
- destroyed.
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- ☐
- turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

**EVIDENTIARY
FUNDS AT A
FINANCIAL INST.**

The financial institution holding evidentiary funds seized by the _____ Police Department law enforcement agency shall issue a check in the amount of _____ dollars payable to _____

**CONTROLLED
SUBSTANCE(S)**

ITEM(S) NUMBER

The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be controlled drug(s), substance(s) or drug paraphernalia and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be:

- ☐
- destroyed (C.G.S. 54-36a; 54-36g).
- ☐
- delivered to the Commissioner of Consumer Protection (C.G.S. 21a-262).

**FIREARMS/
CONTRABAND**

ITEM(S) NUMBER

The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be contraband and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be turned over to the Bureau of Identification of the Connecticut State Police Division for ☐ destruction ☐ appropriate use ☐ disposal by sale at public auction(C.G.S. 54-36e) or ☐ turned over to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 26-85 and 26-90.**NUISANCE,
CONTRABAND
OR OTHER
PROPERTY**

ITEM(S) NUMBER

The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be a nuisance, contraband or other property ordered to be forfeited and it is hereby ordered disposed of as follows:

- ☐
- money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund.
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- ☐
- turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund.
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- ☐
- destroyed.
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- ☐
- turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

GAMBLING

ITEM(S) NUMBER

The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged seized, pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 53-278c and said item(s) are hereby ordered to be disposed of as follows:

- ☐
- money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund.
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- ☐
- property used in gambling shall be turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund.
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- ☐
- destroyed.
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- ☐
- turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

PART A INVENTORY NO.
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PART B INVENTORY NO.

JUVENILE INVENTORY NO.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT (Name of Judge)

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A., OR JUVENILE

SIGNED (Judge)

DATE SIGNED

**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION
SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

JD-CR-61 Rev. 3-10
C.G.S. §§ 54-33a, 54-33c, 54-33j

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT**

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Form JD-CR-52 must also be completed

Instructions To Applicant

File the application for the warrant and all affidavits upon which the warrant is based with the clerk of the court for the geographical area within which any person who may be arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant would be presented, together with the return of the warrant.

Instructions To G.A. Clerk

Upon execution and return of the warrant, affidavits which are the subject of an order dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy to the owner, occupant or person within forty-eight hours shall remain in the custody of the clerk's office in a secure location apart from the remainder of the court file.

Police Case number CFS# 12-00704559

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

The undersigned, being duly sworn, complains on oath that the undersigned has probable cause to believe that certain property, to wit:

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH54299, registered to Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street, Sandy Hook, CT. Blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, gunshot residue (GSR), weaponry and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, hatchets, axes, knives, cutting instrument and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers, and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles or items.

The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

☐ is possessed, controlled, designed or intended for use or which is or has been or may be used as the means of committing the criminal offense of: _____

☐ was stolen or embezzled from: _____

☒ constitutes evidence of the following offense or that a particular person participated in the commission of the offense of:

Murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c

☐ is in the possession, custody or control of a journalist or news organization, to wit: _____

☐ and such person or organization has committed or is committing the following offense which is related to such property: _____

☐ and such property constitutes contraband or an instrumentality of the criminal offense of: _____

And is within or upon a certain person, place, or thing, to wit:

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black is parked in front of the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT.

(This is page 1 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET SCORIO 507
Newtown	12.14.12	Det. J. K. 1208
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John F. Blum

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

The foregoing Affidavit and Application for Search and Seizure Warrant having been presented to and been considered by the undersigned, a Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee, and the foregoing Affidavit having been subscribed and sworn to by the affiant(s) before me at the time it was presented, the undersigned (a) is satisfied therefrom that grounds exist for said application, and (b) finds that said affidavit established grounds and probable cause for the undersigned to issue this Search and Seizure Warrant, such probable cause being the following: From said affidavit, the undersigned finds that there is probable cause for the undersigned to believe that the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application is within or upon the person, if any, named or described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or the place or thing, if any, described in the foregoing affidavit and application, under the conditions and circumstances set forth in the foregoing affidavit and application, and that, therefore, a Search and Seizure warrant should issue for said property.

NOW THEREFORE, by Authority of the State of Connecticut, I hereby command any Police Officer of a regularly organized police department, any State Police Officer, any inspector in the Division of Criminal Justice, or any conservation officer, special conservation officer or patrol officer acting pursuant to C.G.S. § 26-6 to whom these presents shall come within ten days after the date of this warrant to enter into or upon and search the place or thing described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or search the person described in the foregoing affidavit and application or both, to wit:

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black is parked in front of the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT.

for the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application, to wit:

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH54299, registered to Nancy Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street, Sandy Hook, CT. Blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, gunshot residue (GSR), weaponry and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, hatchets, axes, knives, cutting instrument and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers, and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles or items.

The evidence will be collected and submitted to the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

- ☒ submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

and upon finding said property to seize the same, take and keep it in custody until the further order of the court, and with reasonable promptness make due return of this warrant accompanied by a written inventory of all property seized.

- ☒ The foregoing request that the judge, or judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the warrant application and affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein and that the affidavit in support of such request also be included in such nondelivery is hereby:

NOT TO EXCEED 2 WEEKS BEYOND DATE WARRANT IS EXECUTED

- ☒ GRANTED for a period of

Dec. 28, 2012

This order, or any extension thereof, dispensing with said requirement shall not limit disclosure of such application and affidavits to the attorney for a person arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant unless, upon motion of the prosecuting authority within two weeks of such arraignment the court finds that the state's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs the defendant's right to disclosure.

- ☐ DENIED

- ☐ Service of this Search Warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought is hereby waived, pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43(a).

(NOTE: AFFIANT'S OATH MUST BE TAKEN PRIOR TO JUDGE / JUDGE TRIAL REFEREE SIGNING BELOW)

(This is page 6 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

Signed at <u>Newtown</u> , Connecticut, on: <u>Dec. 14, 2012</u>	Date	At (Time) <u>8:36</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.
Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) <u>[Signature]</u>	Print name of Judicial Official <u>Hon. John F. Blawie</u>		

RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

Inventory control number		
Judicial District of Danbury	G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 White Street, Danbury, CT
Docket number CR-	Uniform arrest number	Police case number 12-00704559
Date of seizure 12/21/12		Companion case number

When and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan, color black is parked in front of the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☐ Total Cash Seized: N/A, consisting of

- Exhibit #511 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #512 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #513 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #514 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #515 - One (1) shoe impression.
- Exhibit #516 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #517 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #518 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.
- Exhibit #519 - One (1) Integriswab swabbing with saline solution for potential DNA source.

I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner and Son Deceased. No Copy Distributed the owner or occupant of dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____ person named therein, on (Date) _____
(This is page 10 of a 10 page Affidavit and Application.)

1/7/13 Signed (Officer's signature and department) Det. [Signature] 2-0864 CSP - CDMC

NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - 10 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

Judicial District of Danbury	G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 White Street, Danbury, CT	Inventory control number
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Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

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and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☐ Total Cash Seized: N/A, consisting of

Addendum To Return Submitted On 01/07/13

Exhibit #505 - One (1) Saiga 12 Shotgun, serial #H08402282, with two magazines containing 70 rounds of Winchester 12 gauge shotgun rounds.

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT

and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 10 of a 10 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 3/14/13 Signed (Officer's signature and department) Det. [Signature] #864 CSP - CDMC

NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - 10 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

And the facts establishing the grounds for issuing a Search and Seizure Warrant are the following:

1. That the affiant Detective James McGlynn, #1268 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 23 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant McGlynn is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
2. That the affiant Detective Scott Wisner, #507 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 20 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant Wisner is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
3. That on Friday, 12/14/12, at approximately 0935 hours, Newtown Police Department received a 911 call from a caller at the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT. The caller reported that an active shooting situation was occurring at the Sandy Hook Elementary School.
4. That as a result of the 911 call, numerous law enforcement personnel including members from the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown. Upon arrival, law enforcement personnel conducted a search of the interior and exterior of the school. Investigators located CT registration 872YEO, a 2010, black colored Honda Civic unoccupied and parked in the fire lane directly in front of the school. A shotgun was noted in plain view to be in the interior of the vehicle. The registered owner for the Honda Civic is Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
5. That as investigators entered the school numerous school children and school personnel were located deceased from apparent gunshot wounds in the first three classrooms located off the main hallway, adjacent to the school's front entrance. That investigators also located a teenaged white male dressed in military style clothing, wearing a bullet proof vest lying deceased on the floor in the middle classroom. That the deceased male was in possession of several handguns as well as a military style assault weapon. That the deceased male has been tentatively identified as Adam Lanza, DOB 04/22/92, who resides at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
6. That law enforcement personnel including members of the Connecticut State Police, Emergency Service Unit, responded to the residence of Nancy Lanza at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. Upon arrival at Lanza's residence, Connecticut State Police Emergency Service Unit gained entry into the house and located a deceased middle aged white female lying in a supine position on a bed in the 2nd floor master bedroom. The white female sustained an apparent gunshot wound to her forehead. Investigators located a rifle on the floor near the bed. The deceased white female is presumed Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60.
7. That 12/14/12, Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation interviewed [REDACTED] [REDACTED] rarely leaves his home and considers him to be a shut in and an avid gamer who plays Call of Duty, amongst other games. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] has a gun safe containing at least four guns. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] had attended Sandy Hook Elementary School and that the school was Adam Lanza's "life."
8. That the Affiants have personal knowledge, based upon their experience and training, that crimes of

(This is page 2 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12-14-12	DET SCOT W 507
Newtown	12-14-12	DET JIM M 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

violence involve a struggle, a break, the use of weapons and other instrumentalities, and/or the element of unpredictability; the person or persons participating in the commission of a violent crime is/are in contact with physical surroundings in a forceful or otherwise detectable manner; there is often an attempt to alter, destroy, remove, clean up, or cover up evidence of a crime. That traces may be left in the form of blood, semen, saliva, physiological fluids and secretions, hair, fibers, fingerprints, palm prints, footprints, shoe prints, weapons and firearms including pistols, rifles, revolvers, shotguns, knives, hatchets, axes, cutting instruments and cutting tools, blunt force instruments, projectiles, ammunition, bullet casings and fragments, gunshot residue (GSR), dirt, dust and soil, paint samples, glass and plastic fragments, marks of tools used to gain access to locked premises or containers and items containing traces of any of the above mentioned articles. Many of the above items are minute and/or microscopic, thus requiring additional specialized examination by forensic science laboratory techniques, such as that performed by the Connecticut State Police Forensic Science Laboratory.

9. That the Affiants also have personal knowledge, based upon their experience and training, that a crime scene, such as described above, will contain physical evidence, hereinbefore itemized, which will aid in establishing the identity of the perpetrator(s), the circumstances under which the crime was committed, and/or which in general will assist in the discovery of the pertinent facts and that such evidence requires a systematic search to locate, seize, record and process. That trace evidence left in the forms mentioned above is easily transferred between participants and inanimate objects such as surroundings, including their motor vehicle. That it is reasonable to believe and expect that a person responsible for committing a crime, such as the one described in this affidavit would come in contact with these forms of trace evidence and transfer them to their surroundings.
10. That the Affiants also have personal knowledge that the Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony St in Meriden, CT has the equipment, personnel and expertise necessary to conduct physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis, including but not limited to biological and chemical testing, instrumental analysis, firearms, photography, biochemistry, DNA, criminalistics, fingerprints, in order to locate, identify, compare and reconstruct items of evidence and trace evidence to aid in establishing the circumstances of the crime and identity of the participants involved in the crime. The Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory will use standardized and documented procedures to extract, amplify and detect DNA from evidentiary items and samples taken from known individuals. The resulting DNA profiles from the evidentiary items will be compared to the known individuals' profiles and the results documented in a laboratory report.
11. That based upon the facts and circumstances described above, your Affiants have probable cause to believe that evidence of the crime of murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c, will be found within Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH542299, registered to Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/30 of 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.
12. Therefore, the Affiants are requesting a Search and Seizure warrant be issued for Connecticut registration 872YEO, a 2010 Honda Civic, 4-door sedan color black, vin #2HGFA1F51AH542299, registered to Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/30 of 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.

(This is page 3 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12-14-12	DET. [Signature]
Newtown	12-14-12	Det. [Signature]
Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date)		Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee)
Dec. 14, 2012		[Signature]

The undersigned ("X" one) ☒ has not presented this application in any other court or to any other judge or judge trial referee.
☐ has presented this application in another court or to another judge or judge trial referee (specify):

Wherefore the undersigned requests that a warrant may issue commanding a proper officer to search said person or to enter into or upon said place or thing, search the same, and take into custody all such property.

☒ And to submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

Department of Public Safety Forensic Science Laboratory located at 278 Colony Street in Meriden, Connecticut for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis.

(This is page 4 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.14.12	DET SCOTT W 507
Newtown	12.14.12	Det. Scott W 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John F. Blum

AFFIDAVIT REQUESTING DISPENSATION WITH
REQUIREMENT OF DELIVERY
pursuant to § 54-33c, Connecticut General Statutes

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

For the reasons set forth below, the undersigned, being duly sworn, requests that the judge / judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the application for the warrant and a copy of any affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein with forty-eight hours of the search:

- ☐ The personal safety of a confidential informant would be jeopardized by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☒ The search is part of a continuing investigation which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☐ The giving of such affidavits at such time would require disclosure of information or material prohibited from being disclosed by chapter 959a of the general statutes;

- ☐ In addition, it is requested that the requirement of advance service of this warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought, be waived pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a);

and the specific details with regard to such reasons are as follows:

This is an active and evolving investigation in which the identification of additional suspect(s) and co-conspirators could be potentially compromised by disclosure of the aforementioned information at this juncture.

The undersigned further requests that this affidavit also be included in such nondelivery.

(This is page 5 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12-14-12	DET [Signature]
Newtown	12-14-12	Det [Signature]
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 14, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT : SUPERIOR COURT
DATED DECEMBER 15, 2012, 3:03 P.M.

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND : JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY
ADAM LANZA, 36 YOGANANDA STREET
IN SANDY HOOK, CT. THE RESIDENCE IS
A 2 STORY COLONIAL STYLE STRUCTURE,
WITH AN ATTACHED TWO CAR GARAGE. : AT DANBURY
THE HOUSE IS PALE YELLOW WITH DARK
GREEN SHUTTERS. THE FULL ADDRESS,
36 YOGANANDA STREET IS LISTED ON THE
MAILBOX LOCATED IN FRONT OF THE HOUSE."

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS12-00704559 : MARCH 27, 2013

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S AMENDED APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
PARTIAL REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT
AND RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,¹ the law enforcement privilege² and the informant privilege,³ the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 7 of the affidavit, which is attached in a sealed envelope to the prior version of this application relating to the house at 36 Yogananda St. together with the search warrant application, warrant and return, filed with the clerk on the morning of March 27, 2013. In the prior version the State had erroneously listed paragraph 5 as the paragraph to be redacted. The witness is described in paragraph 7.

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C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.
See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP);
Seebeck v. State, 246 Conn. 514, 544-46 (1998).
State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;
2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing.

That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities.

Additionally,

- There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

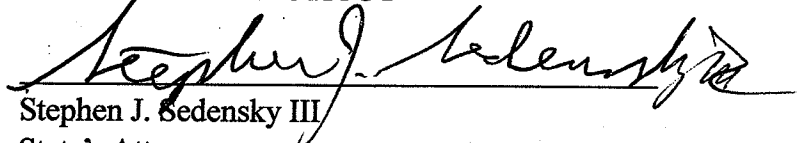
As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the disclosure of the name and identity of a citizen witness, whose personal safety may be jeopardized by releasing a unredacted copy of the affidavit at this time (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 15, 2012, 3:03 P.M.

: SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND
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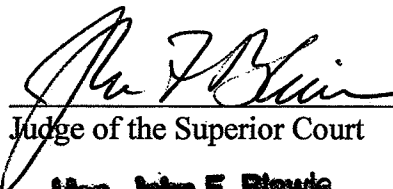
ORDER

The March 27, 2013 amended application of the prosecuting authority for partial redaction of unsealed search warrant application, affidavit and return, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED/ DENIED as follows:

Paragraph 7 of the affidavit is ordered redacted to delete the name and identity of the citizen witness.

The redacted version of the search warrant application, affidavit and returns are ordered to be made available to the public. The originals shall remain sealed in the custody of the Clerk. This order is to take effect at 12:00:01 a.m., March 28, 2013.

March 27, 2013



Judge of the Superior Court
Hon. John F. Blawie

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT : SUPERIOR COURT
DATED DECEMBER 15, 2012, 3:03 P.M.

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND : JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY
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POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS12-00704559 : MARCH 27, 2013

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR PARTIAL
REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT AND
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,¹ the law enforcement privilege² and the informant privilege,³ the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 5 of the affidavit, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application, warrant and return.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;

C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.
See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP);
Beebeck v. State, 246 Conn. 514, 544-46 (1998).
State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

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2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing. That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities. Additionally,

- There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

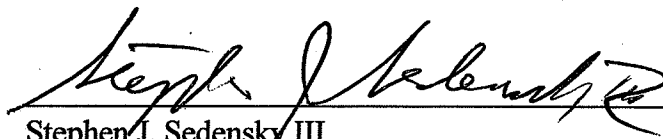
As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the disclosure of the name and identity of a citizen witness, whose personal safety may be jeopardized by releasing a unredacted copy of the affidavit at this time (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

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IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT : SUPERIOR COURT
DATED DECEMBER 15, 2012, 3:03 P.M.

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND : JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY
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POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS12-00704559 :

ORDER

The foregoing attached application of the prosecution authority, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED / DENIED.

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Judge of the Superior Court

IN RE

SEARCH WARRANT, DATED December 15, 2012 at 3:03 p.m. AND

SIGNED BY THE HONORABLE JOHN F. BLAWIE, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house."
Police case number CFS12-00704559

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
EXTENSION OF PERIOD SEALING SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT
AND DISPENSING WITH REQUIREMENT OF GIVING COPY OF SAME TO OWNER,
OCCUPANT OR PERSON NAMED THEREIN AND FOR SEALING OF SEARCH WARRANT
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276¹ and the law enforcement privilege² the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the search warrant application and affidavit and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same to the owner, occupant or person named therein for the same time; and
- b. An **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the return of the search warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit; and

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See in re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A.2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seebeck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).

2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing and no arrests have been made and none are currently anticipated, but have not been ruled out.

Additionally,


- There is information contained in the search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the affidavit would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any potential suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavit, application and return and the unsealing of the same at this time (54-33c(a)).

December 26, 2012

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III
State's Attorney
Office of the State's Attorney
146 White Street
Danbury, CT 06810

**IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 15, 2012 AT 3:03 P.M.**

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SUPERIOR COURT

**FOR THE RESIDENCE OF
NANCY AND ADAM LANZA
36 YOGANANDA STREET
SANDY HOOK, CONNECTICUT**

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OF DANBURY

**POLICE CASE NUMBER:
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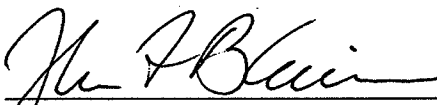
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ORDER

The application of the prosecuting authority, the Danbury State's Attorney, having been considered, it is hereby GRANTED.

The period of time sealing the search warrant application, affidavit and return, and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same is hereby extended for a period of ninety (90) days from the date hereof. The court finds that due to the nature and circumstances of this case and the ongoing investigation, the State's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs any right to public disclosure at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



John F. Blawie
Judge of the Superior Court

**PROPERTY SEIZED UNDER
SEARCH WARRANT**

JD-CR-52 Rev. 10-01
C.G.S. §§ 21a-262, 53-278c, 54-33g,
54-36a, 54-36e, 54-36g, 54-36h

CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT
(Staple to JD-CR-61 as page 7)

COURT DOCKET NO.
U.A.R. NO./JUV. SUMMONS NO.
COMPANION CASE NO.
TOWN OF SEIZURE
JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M.

POLICE CASE/RECEIPT NO.
12-0670455-9

NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT/SUBJECT

Adam Lanza 36 Yoganunda St. Newtown, CT
146 White St. Danbury, CT.

TOWN OF SEIZURE

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M.

PART A INVENTORY NO.
8639 SW

SECTION I. NO IN REM (Complete this section if In Rem was not served)

Notice is hereby given to the court of the foregoing Return of Property seized on Search and Seizure Warrant.
No In Rem proceedings have been filed in the office of the clerk.

DATED AT (Town)

ON (Date)

SIGNED (Assistant Clerk)

COURT

SECTION II. IN REM (Complete this section only if In Rem was served)

Whereas, as appears on file, the property referred to in the above summons was duly seized and, in accordance with the statute and as appears above, a summons was duly issued and served, commanding the owner(s) thereof and all others whom it may concern to appear before this court, to show cause why the said property should not be forfeited, adjudged a nuisance and ordered to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, and whereas said owner(s):

☐ appeared, thereupon being made party defendant(s) and after hearing ☐ made default of appearance ☐ executed the foregoing waiver

the court adjudged the property referred to in said summons and entered the following order:

SECTION III. ORDER OF THE COURT (Complete this section in both cases)

ASSET FORFEITURE	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are subject to an in rem asset forfeiture proceeding pursuant to C.G.S. § 54-36h. See attached form.
RETURN TO OWNER(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby ordered returned to the rightful owner(s) within 6 months from the date of this order, upon proper claim therefore, OTHERWISE the property shall be disposed of pursuant to Section 54-36a of the Connecticut General Statutes as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
EVIDENTIARY FUNDS AT A FINANCIAL INST.	The financial institution holding evidentiary funds seized by the _____ Police Department/Law Enforcement agency shall issue a check in the amount of _____ dollars payable to _____.	
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be controlled drug(s), substance(s) or drug paraphernalia and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be: <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed (C.G.S. 54-36a; 54-36g). <input type="checkbox"/> delivered to the Commissioner of Consumer Protection (C.G.S. 21a-262).
FIREARMS/ CONTRABAND	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be contraband and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be turned over to the Bureau of Identification of the Connecticut State Police Division for <input type="checkbox"/> destruction <input type="checkbox"/> appropriate use <input type="checkbox"/> disposal by sale at public auction (C.G.S. 54-36e) or <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 26-85 and 26-90.
NUISANCE, CONTRABAND OR OTHER PROPERTY	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be a nuisance, contraband or other property ordered to be forfeited and it is hereby ordered disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
GAMBLING	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged seized, pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 53-278c and said item(s) are hereby ordered to be disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> property used in gambling shall be turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

PART B INVENTORY NO.

JUVENILE INVENTORY NO.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT (Name of Judge)

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A., OR JUVENILE

SIGNED (Judge)

DATE SIGNED

**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION
SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

JD-CR-61 Rev. 3-10
C.G.S. §§ 54-33a, 54-33c, 54-33j

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Form JD-CR-52 must also be completed

Instructions To Applicant

File the application for the warrant and all affidavits upon which the warrant is based with the clerk of the court for the geographical area within which any person who may be arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant would be presented, together with the return of the warrant.

Instructions To G.A. Clerk

Upon execution and return of the warrant, affidavits which are the subject of an order dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy to the owner, occupant or person within forty-eight hours shall remain in the custody of the clerk's office in a secure location apart from the remainder of the court file.

Police Case number CFS12-00704559

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

The undersigned, being duly sworn, complains on oath that the undersigned has probable cause to believe that certain property, to wit:

Written documents presumed to be authored and/or collected by Adam Lanza. These documents include but are not limited to personal notes, memoirs, and thoughts presumably created by Adam Lanza. Documents such as these are routinely utilized by investigators to develop a psychological profile of the author of such.

The documents will subsequently be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for analysis.

- ☐ is possessed, controlled, designed or intended for use or which is or has been or may be used as the means of committing the criminal offense of: _____
- ☐ was stolen or embezzled from: _____
- ☒ constitutes evidence of the following offense or that a particular person participated in the commission of the offense of:

Murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c

- ☐ is in the possession, custody or control of a journalist or news organization, to wit: _____

- ☐ and such person or organization has committed or is committing the following offense which is related to such property: _____

- ☐ and such property constitutes contraband or an instrumentality of the criminal offense of: _____

And is within or upon a certain person, place, or thing, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

(This is page 1 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.15.12	DET. [Signature] 507
Newtown	12.15.12	Det. [Signature] *1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 15, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

And the facts establishing the grounds for issuing a Search and Seizure Warrant are the following:

1. That the affiant Detective James McGlynn, #1268 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 23 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant McGlynn is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
2. That the affiant Detective Scott Wisner, #507 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 20 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant Wisner is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
3. That on Friday, 12/14/12, at approximately 0935 hours, Newtown Police Department received a 911 call from a caller at the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT. The caller reported that an active shooting situation was occurring at the Sandy Hook Elementary School.
4. That as a result of the 911 call, numerous law enforcement personnel including members from the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown. Upon arrival, law enforcement personnel conducted a search of the interior and exterior of the school. Investigators located CT registration 872YEO, a 2010, black colored Honda Civic unoccupied and parked in the fire lane directly in front of the school. The registered owner for the Honda Civic is Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
5. That as investigators entered the school numerous school children and school personnel were located deceased from apparent gunshot wounds in the first three classrooms located off the main hallway, adjacent to the school's front entrance. That investigators also located a teenaged white male dressed in military style clothing, wearing a bullet proof vest lying deceased on the floor in the middle classroom. That the deceased male was in possession of several handguns as well as a military style assault weapon. That the deceased male has been tentatively identified as Adam Lanza, DOB 04/22/92, who resides at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
6. That law enforcement personnel including members of the Connecticut State Police, Emergency Service Unit, responded to the residence of Nancy Lanza at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. Upon arrival at Lanza's residence, Connecticut State Police Emergency Service Unit gained entry into the house and located a deceased middle aged white female lying in a supine position on a bed in the 2nd floor master bedroom. The white female sustained an apparent gunshot wound to her forehead. Investigators located a rifle on the floor near the bed. The deceased white female is presumed to be Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60.
7. That 12/14/12, Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation interviewed [REDACTED] [REDACTED] rarely leaves his home and considers him to be a shut in. [REDACTED] has a gun safe containing at least four guns. [REDACTED] had attended Sandy Hook Elementary School.
8. That on 12/14/12 the affiants applied for and received a Search and Seizure Warrant (Mincey Warrant) for the residence located at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut. The Search and Seizure Warrant was authorized by the Honorable John F. Blawie. The residence remains in the custody and

(This is page 2 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.15.12	DET Scott W 507
Newtown	12.15.12	DET J McGlynn #1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 15, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John F. Blawie

control of law enforcement.

9. That during the execution of Search and Seizure Warrant at the Lanza residence, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT, investigators located written documents presumed to be authored and/or collected by Adam Lanza. These documents were located at various locations within the residence including but not limited to Adam Lanza's bedroom. These documents include but are not limited to personal notes, memoirs, and thoughts believed to have been written and/or collected by Adam Lanza. Documents such as these are routinely utilized by investigators to develop a psychological profile of the author of such.
10. That the seized documents will subsequently be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for analysis.
11. Based upon the facts and circumstances described above, the Affiants have probable cause to believe that evidence of the crime of murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c, will be found within the aforementioned documents, which are located at the Lanza residence, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.
12. Therefore, your affiants are requesting a Search and Seizure Warrant be issued for the seizure of the aforementioned documents, which are located at the Lanza residence, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.

(This is page 3 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.15.12	DET SCORIN/507
Newtown	12.15.12	Det SP12 - 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 15, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John P. Blum

The undersigned ("X" one) ☒ has not presented this application in any other court or to any other judge or judge trial referee.
☐ has presented this application in another court or to another judge or judge trial referee (specify):

Wherefore the undersigned requests that a warrant may issue commanding a proper officer to search said person or to enter into or upon said place or thing, search the same, and take into custody all such property.

☒ And to submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

The documents described in the affidavit will be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigations for analysis.

(This is page 4 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.15.12	DET SCORIN 507
Newtown	12.15.12	Det. Scott 1268
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 15, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) John F. Blum

**AFFIDAVIT REQUESTING DISPENSATION WITH
REQUIREMENT OF DELIVERY**
pursuant to § 54-33c, Connecticut General Statutes

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

For the reasons set forth below, the undersigned, being duly sworn, requests that the judge / judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the application for the warrant and a copy of any affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein with forty-eight hours of the search:

- ☐ The personal safety of a confidential informant would be jeopardized by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☒ The search is part of a continuing investigation which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☐ The giving of such affidavits at such time would require disclosure of information or material prohibited from being disclosed by chapter 959a of the general statutes;

☐ In addition, it is requested that the requirement of advance service of this warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought, be waived pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a);

and the specific details with regard to such reasons are as follows:

This is an active and evolving investigation in which the disclosure of the information contained within this affidavit could jeopardize the integrity of the investigation.

The undersigned further requests that this affidavit also be included in such nondelivery.

(This is page 5 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12.15.12	DET. [Signature] 1261
Newtown	12.15.12	Det. [Signature] 1261
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 15, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

The foregoing Affidavit and Application for Search and Seizure Warrant having been presented to and been considered by the undersigned, a Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee, and the foregoing Affidavit having been subscribed and sworn to by the affiant(s) before me at the time it was presented, the undersigned (a) is satisfied therefrom that grounds exist for said application, and (b) finds that said affidavit established grounds and probable cause for the undersigned to issue this Search and Seizure Warrant, such probable cause being the following: From said affidavit, the undersigned finds that there is probable cause for the undersigned to believe that the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application is within or upon the person, if any, named or described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or the place or thing, if any, described in the foregoing affidavit and application, under the conditions and circumstances set forth in the foregoing affidavit and application, and that, therefore, a Search and Seizure warrant should issue for said property.

NOW THEREFORE, by Authority of the State of Connecticut, I hereby command any Police Officer of a regularly organized police department, any State Police Officer, any inspector in the Division of Criminal Justice, or any conservation officer, special conservation officer or patrol officer acting pursuant to C.G.S. § 26-6 to whom these presents shall come within ten days after the date of this warrant to enter into or upon and search the place or thing described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or search the person described in the foregoing affidavit and application or both, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

for the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application, to wit:

Written documents presumed to be authored and/or collected by Adam Lanza. These documents include but are not limited to personal notes, memoirs, and thoughts presumably created by Adam Lanza. Documents such as these are routinely utilized by investigators to develop a psychological profile of the author of such.

The documents will subsequently be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for analysis.

☒ submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

Upon the seizure of the aforementioned documents stated in the affidavit, the documents will be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigations for analysis.

and upon finding said property to seize the same, take and keep it in custody until the further order of the court, and with reasonable promptness make due return of this warrant accompanied by a written inventory of all property seized.

☒ The foregoing request that the judge or judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the warrant application and affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein and that the affidavit in support of such request also be included in such nondelivery is hereby:

NOT TO EXCEED 2 WEEKS BEYOND DATE WARRANT IS EXECUTED

☒ GRANTED for a period of

Dec 29, 2012

This order, or any extension thereof, dispensing with said requirement shall not limit disclosure of such application and affidavits to the attorney for a person arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant unless, upon motion of the prosecuting authority within two weeks of such arraignment the court finds that the state's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs the defendant's right to disclosure.

☐ DENIED.

☐ Service of this Search Warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought is hereby waived, pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a).

(NOTE: AFFIANT'S OATH MUST BE TAKEN PRIOR TO JUDGE / JUDGE TRIAL REFEREE SIGNING BELOW)

(This is page 6 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

Signed at <u>Newtown</u> , Connecticut, on: <u>Dec. 15, 2012</u>	Date	At (Time) <u>3:03</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.
Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) <u>John F. Blawie</u>	Print name of Judicial Official <u>Hon. John F. Blawie</u>		

RETURN AND INVENTORY PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

Inventory control number	
Judicial District of Danbury	G.A. 3
At (Address of Court) 146 White St Danbury, CT	
Date of seizure 12/15/12	
Docket number CR-	Uniform arrest number
Police case number CFS 12-00704559	
Companion case number	

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: None, consisting of

Exhibit FBI 1: Four boxes and a bag containing the following items: Box 1: personal writings from Adam Lanza's bedroom and personal memorabilia from an adjacent room; Box 2: one military-style uniform from Adam Lanza's bedroom; Box 3: books and papers from Adam Lanza's bedroom; Box 4: papers taken from common areas in Adam Lanza's house, including a storage room and Nancy Lanza's bedroom; Bag: papers from common areas in Adam Lanza's house, e.g., the study on the main floor.

id I gave a copy of such warrant to NA, the owner or occupant of
a dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to left at residence,
a person named therein, on (Date) 12/16/12

This is page 7 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

12/16/2012 Signed (Officer's signature and department)

NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - 7 must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 16, 2012, 4:31 P.M.

: SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "THE RESIDENCE OF NANCY AND
ADAM LANZA, 36 YOGANANDA STREET
IN SANDY HOOK, CT. THE RESIDENCE IS A
2 STORY COLONIAL STYLE STRUCTURE,
WITH AN ATTACHED TWO CAR GARAGE.
THE HOUSE IS PALE YELLOW WITH DARK
GREEN SHUTTERS. THE FULL ADDRESS,
36 YOGANANDA STREET IS LISTED ON THE
MAILBOX LOCATED IN FRONT OF THE HOUSE."

: JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF DANBURY

: AT DANBURY

POLICE CASE NUMBER CFS#12-00704559

: MARCH 27, 2013

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR PARTIAL
REDACTION OF UNSEALED SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION, AFFIDAVIT AND
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276,¹ the law enforcement privilege,² the informant privilege,³ the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the name and identity of a citizen witness listed in paragraph 7 of the affidavit, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application, warrant and return.
- b. A partial redaction of the search warrant application, affidavit and return, due to be unsealed with the expiration of the court's earlier order, and dispensing with the requirement of giving

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C.G.S. §51-276 puts the Division of Criminal Justice in charge of investigations and prosecutions of criminal matters.

See In re The City of New York, 607 F.3rd 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seebeck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).

State v. Mullins, 288 Conn. 345, 370-377 (2008).

an unredacted copy to the owner, to wit: the State's Attorney requests the redaction of the telephone numbers in item #74 and the credit card number in item #84 of the items listed on the return, which is attached to this application in a sealed envelope together with the search warrant application and warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit;
2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers; and
3. Information provided to him by the attorney for the citizen witness.

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing. That no arrests have been made and while none are currently anticipated, arrests have not been ruled out and the investigation is fully active and ongoing by both state and federal authorities. Additionally,

- There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which could jeopardize the safety of a citizen witness;
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted affidavit would identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.
- There is information contained in the unredacted search warrant return that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the unredacted search warrant affidavit and return would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any potential suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation, thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

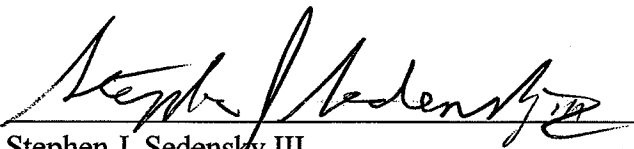
As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the unredacted application, affidavit and return and (§54-33c(a)).

Judge John F. Blawie, on December 27, 2012, granted an application for an extension of time to seal the search warrant application, affidavit and return for a period of 90 days.

March 27, 2013

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephen J. Sedensky III", is written over a horizontal line.

Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 16, 2012, 4:31 P.M.

: SUPERIOR COURT

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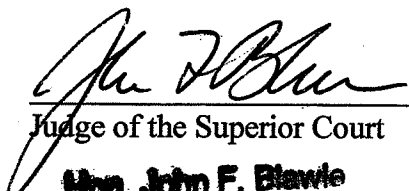
ORDER

The March 27, 2013 application of the prosecuting authority for partial redaction of unsealed search warrant application, affidavit and return, having been presented to a Judge of the Superior Court, it is hereby GRANTED/ DENIED as follows:

- a. Paragraph 7 of the affidavit is ordered redacted to delete the name and identity of the citizen witness.
- b. Telephone numbers in #74 of the return are ordered redacted.
- c. Credit card number in #84 of the return is ordered redacted.

The redacted version of the search warrant application, affidavit and returns are ordered to be made available to the public. The originals shall remain sealed in the custody of the Clerk. This order is to take effect at 12:00:01 a.m., March 28, 2013.

March 27, 2013


Judge of the Superior Court

Hon. John F. Blawie

IN RE

SEARCH WARRANT, DATED December 16, 2012 at 4:31 p.m. AND

SIGNED BY THE HONORABLE JOHN F. BLAWIE, JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

FOR "The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house."

Police case number CFS#12-00704559

PROSECUTING AUTHORITY'S APPLICATION UNDER C.G.S. §54-33c(b) FOR
EXTENSION OF PERIOD SEALING SEARCH WARRANT APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT
AND DISPENSING WITH REQUIREMENT OF GIVING COPY OF SAME TO OWNER,
OCCUPANT OR PERSON NAMED THEREIN AND FOR SEALING OF SEARCH WARRANT
RETURN

Pursuant to C.G.S. §54-33c(b), Practice Book §42-49A(b), Article IV of the Connecticut Constitution as Amended by Article XXIII, C.G.S. §51-276¹ and the law enforcement privilege² the undersigned State's Attorney, as the prosecuting authority, hereby makes application for:

- a. A **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the search warrant application and affidavit and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same to the owner, occupant or person named therein for the same time; and
- b. An **90 day extension** of the period of time sealing the return of the search warrant.

In support of this application, the undersigned represents, based on:

1. Information provided in the search warrant affidavit; and

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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See re The City of New York, 607 F.3d 923, C.A. 2 (NY) June 9, 2010 (NO. 10-0327-OP); State v. Seebeck, 246 Conn. 514, 545-46 (1998).

2. Information provided to him by the investigating police officers

That the investigation, which was a basis for the issuing of the search warrant, is still continuing and no arrests have been made and none are currently anticipated, but have not been ruled out.

Additionally,

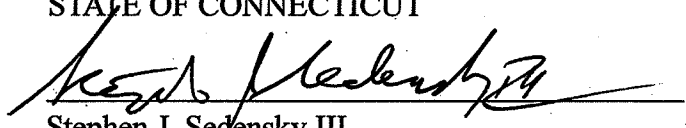
- There is information contained in the search warrant affidavit that is not known to the general public and any potential suspect(s), the disclosure of which would jeopardize the investigation and chances of successfully solving any crime(s) involved; and
- That disclosure and delivery of the affidavit would seriously jeopardize the outcome and success of the investigation by divulging sensitive and confidential information known only to investigators and any potential suspect(s) and also identify persons cooperating with the investigation thus possibly jeopardizing their personal safety and well-being.

As such

The search is part of a continuing investigation, which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavit, application and return and the unsealing of the same at this time (54-33c(a)).

December 26, 2012

STATE OF CONNECTICUT



Stephen J. Sedensky III

State's Attorney

Office of the State's Attorney

146 White Street

Danbury, CT 06810

**IN RE: SEARCH WARRANT
DATED DECEMBER 16, 2012 AT 4:31 P.M.**

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SUPERIOR COURT

**FOR THE RESIDENCE OF
NANCY AND ADAM LANZA
36 YOGANANDA STREET
SANDY HOOK, CONNECTICUT**

:

JUDICIAL DISTRICT

:

OF DANBURY

**POLICE CASE NUMBER:
CFS12-00704559**

:


DECEMBER 27, 2012

ORDER

The application of the prosecuting authority, the Danbury State's Attorney, having been considered, it is hereby GRANTED.

The period of time sealing the search warrant application, affidavit and return, and dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy of the same is hereby extended for a period of ninety (90) days from the date hereof. The court finds that due to the nature and circumstances of this case and the ongoing investigation, the State's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs any right to public disclosure at this time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



John F. Blawie
Judge of the Superior Court

**PROPERTY SEIZED UNDER
SEARCH WARRANT**

JD-CR-52 Rev. 10-01

C.G.S. §§ 21a-262, 53-278c, 54-33g,
54-36a, 54-36e, 54-36g, 54-36h

CONNECTICUT SUPERIOR COURT

(Staple to JD-CR-61 as page 7)

COURT DOCKET NO.
U.A.R. NO./JUV. SUMMONS NO.
COMPANION CASE NO.
CF512-00704559
TOWN OF SEIZURE Sandy Hook
JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A. OR J.M. GA-3

POLICE CASE/ RECEIPT NO.
CF512-00705354

NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT/SUBJECT

Adam Lanza (deceased) 36 Yogananda St, Sandy Hook

ADDRESS OF COURT

146 White St, Danbury

SECTION I. NO IN REM (Complete this section if In Rem was not served)

Notice is hereby given to the court of the foregoing Return of Property seized on Search and Seizure Warrant.
No In Rem proceedings have been filed in the office of the clerk.

DATED AT (Town)

ON (Date)

SIGNED (Assistant Clerk)

COURT

SECTION II. IN REM (Complete this section only if In Rem was served)

Whereas, as appears on file, the property referred to in the above summons was duly seized and, in accordance with the statute and as appears above, a summons was duly issued and served, commanding the owner(s) thereof and all others whom it may concern to appear before this court, to show cause why the said property should not be forfeited, adjudged a nuisance and ordered to be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, and whereas said owner(s):

- ☐ appeared, thereupon being made party defendant(s) and after hearing ☐ made default of appearance ☐ executed the foregoing waiver

the court adjudged the property referred to in said summons and entered the following order:

SECTION III. ORDER OF THE COURT (Complete this section in both cases)

ASSET FORFEITURE	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are subject to an in rem asset forfeiture proceeding pursuant to C.G.S. § 54-36h. See attached form.
RETURN TO OWNER(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby ordered returned to the rightful owner(s) within 6 months from the date of this order, upon proper claim therefore, OTHERWISE the property shall be disposed of pursuant to Section 54-36a of the Connecticut General Statutes as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
EVIDENTIARY FUNDS AT A FINANCIAL INST.	The financial institution holding evidentiary funds seized by the _____ Police Department/Law enforcement agency shall issue a check in the amount of _____ dollars payable to _____	
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE(S)	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be controlled drug(s), substance(s) or drug paraphernalia and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be: <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed (C.G.S. 54-36a; 54-36g). <input type="checkbox"/> delivered to the Commissioner of Consumer Protection (C.G.S. 21a-262).
FIREARMS/ CONTRABAND	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the foregoing inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be contraband and it is hereby ordered that said item(s) be turned over to the Bureau of Identification of the Connecticut State Police Division for <input type="checkbox"/> destruction <input type="checkbox"/> appropriate use <input type="checkbox"/> disposal by sale at public auction (C.G.S. 54-36e) or <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Commissioner of Environmental Protection in accordance with C.G.S. §§ 26-85 and 26-90.
NUISANCE, CONTRABAND OR OTHER PROPERTY	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged to be a nuisance, contraband or other property ordered to be forfeited and it is hereby ordered disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)
GAMBLING	ITEM(S) NUMBER	The preceding item(s) of property in the attached inventory is/are hereby adjudged seized, pursuant to Connecticut General Statute 53-278c and said item(s) are hereby ordered to be disposed of as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> money shall be turned over to the Clerk of Court for deposit to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> property used in gambling shall be turned over to the Examiner of Seized Property for disposition, provided that if it is a valuable prize, it shall be sold at public auction or private sale and the proceeds remitted to the State and deposited to the General Fund. <input type="checkbox"/> destroyed. <input type="checkbox"/> turned over to the following charitable, educational or governmental agency or institution: (Specify name and address)

PART B INVENTORY NO.

JUVENILE INVENTORY NO.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT (Name of Judge)

JUDICIAL DISTRICT, G.A., OR JUVENILE

SIGNED (Judge)

DATE SIGNED

**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION
SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

JD-CR-61 Rev. 3-10
C.G.S. §§ 54-33a, 54-33c, 54-33j

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
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Form JD-CR-52 must also be completed

Instructions To Applicant

File the application for the warrant and all affidavits upon which the warrant is based with the clerk of the court for the geographical area within which any person who may be arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant would be presented, together with the return of the warrant.

Instructions To G.A. Clerk

Upon execution and return of the warrant, affidavits which are the subject of an order dispensing with the requirement of giving a copy to the owner, occupant or person within forty-eight hours shall remain in the custody of the clerk's office in a secure location apart from the remainder of the court file.

Police Case number CFS# 12-00704559

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

The undersigned, being duly sworn, complains on oath that the undersigned has probable cause to believe that certain property, to wit:

Written documentation presumed to be authored and/or collected by Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza, referencing or pertaining to Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza. These documents include but are not limited to drawings, written notes, typed notes, medical records, psychiatric records, prescriptions, telephone records, school records, receipts and subscriptions, along with newspaper clippings pertaining to Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza.

- ☐ is possessed, controlled, designed or intended for use or which is or has been or may be used as the means of committing the criminal offense of: _____
- ☐ was stolen or embezzled from: _____
- ☒ constitutes evidence of the following offense or that a particular person participated in the commission of the offense of:
Murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c
- ☐ is in the possession, custody or control of a journalist or news organization, to wit: _____
- ☐ and such person or organization has committed or is committing the following offense which is related to such property: _____
- ☐ and such property constitutes contraband or an instrumentality of the criminal offense of: _____

And is within or upon a certain person, place, or thing, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

(This is page 1 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12/16/12	Det. [Signature] #598
Newtown	12/16/12	Tpr. [Signature] #1022
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 16, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

And the facts establishing the grounds for issuing a Search and Seizure Warrant are the following:

1. That the affiant Detective Matthew E LaCluyze, #0548 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 10 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant LaCluyze is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
2. That the affiant Detective James Nolting, #1022 is a regular sworn member of the Connecticut State Police Department and has been a member of said Department for the past 7 years having participated in numerous criminal investigations, which have led to arrests and convictions. That the affiant Nolting is presently assigned to the State Police Central District Major Crime Squad.
3. That on Friday, 12/14/12, at approximately 0935 hours, Newtown Police Department received a 911 call from a caller at the Sandy Hook Elementary School, 12 Dickinson Drive in Newtown, CT. The caller reported that an active shooting situation was occurring at the Sandy Hook Elementary School.
4. That as a result of the 911 call, numerous law enforcement personnel including members from the Newtown Police Department and the Connecticut State Police responded to Sandy Hook Elementary School, in Newtown. Upon arrival, law enforcement personnel conducted a search of the interior and exterior of the school. Investigators located CT registration 872YEO, a 2010, black colored Honda Civic unoccupied and parked in the fire lane directly in front of the school. The registered owner for the Honda Civic is Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
5. That as investigators entered the school numerous school children and school personnel were located deceased from apparent gunshot wounds in the first three classrooms located off the main hallway, adjacent to the school's front entrance. That investigators also located a teenaged white male dressed in military style clothing, wearing a bullet proof vest lying deceased on the floor in the middle classroom. That the deceased male was in possession of several handguns as well as a military style assault weapon. That the deceased male has been tentatively identified as Adam Lanza, DOB 04/22/92, who resides at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT.
6. That law enforcement personnel including members of the Connecticut State Police, Emergency Service Unit, responded to the residence of Nancy Lanza at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. Upon arrival at Lanza's residence, Connecticut State Police Emergency Service Unit gained entry into the house and located a deceased middle aged white female lying in a supine position on a bed in the 2nd floor master bedroom. The white female sustained an apparent gunshot wound to her forehead. Investigators located a rifle on the floor near the bed. The deceased white female is presumed Nancy Lanza, DOB 09/06/60.
7. That 12/14/12, Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation interviewed [REDACTED] [REDACTED] rarely leaves his home and considers him to be a shut in and an avid gamer who plays Call of Duty, amongst other games. [REDACTED] has a gun safe containing at least four guns. [REDACTED] had attended Sandy Hook Elementary School and that the school was Adam Lanza's "life."

(This is page 2 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12/16/12	Det. MJS #548
Newtown	12/16/12	Det. JN #1022
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 16, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

8. That 12/14/12 a search warrant (Mincey Warrant) was applied for and received for the residence located at 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut. The Search and Seizure Warrant was authorized by the Honorable John F. Blawie. The residence remains in the custody and control of law enforcement.
9. That during the execution of the Search and Seizure Warrant at the Lanza residence, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT, investigators located written documents presumed to be authored and/or collected by and/or owned by Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza. These documents were located at various locations within the residence including but not limited to Adam Lanza's bedroom. These documents include but are not limited to newspaper clippings, personal notes, memoirs, drawings, medical records, bills, invoices, receipts, and subscriptions and perscriptions believed to pertain to and/or collected by Adam Lanza. Documents such as these area routinely utilized by investigators to develop a psychological profile of the author of such and often contain information pertaining to the planning, execution, and concealment of criminal activity.
10. That the residence at 36 Yogananda Street In Sandy Hook, may contain other written documentation to include but not limited to drawings, written notes, typed notes, medical records, psychiatric records, telephone records, and school records pertaining to Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza.
11. That based upon the facts and circumstances described above, your Affiants have probable cause to believe that evidence of the crime of murder, in violation of Connecticut General Statute 53a-54c, will be found within the residence of 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.
12. Therefore, the Affiants are requesting a Search and Seizure warrant be issued for 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, Connecticut.

(This is page 3 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12/16/12	Det DS #548
Newtown	12/16/12	Tor #1022
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec 16, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) <i>[Signature]</i>

The undersigned ("X" one) ☒ has not presented this application in any other court or to any other judge or judge trial referee.

☐ has presented this application in another court or to another judge or judge trial referee (*specify*):

Wherefore the undersigned requests that a warrant may issue commanding a proper officer to search said person or to enter into or upon said place or thing, search the same, and take into custody all such property.

☒ And to submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

DEESP Forensic Science Laboratory, 278 Colony St. Meriden, CT for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis and or any other law enforcement/ forensic agency including the FBI for forensic and behavioral analysis.

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12/16/12	Det. [Signature] #548
Newtown	12/16/12	[Signature] #1022
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 16, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

**AFFIDAVIT REQUESTING DISPENSATION WITH
REQUIREMENT OF DELIVERY**
pursuant to § 54-33c, Connecticut General Statutes.

TO: A Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee

For the reasons set forth below, the undersigned, being duly sworn, requests that the judge / judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the application for the warrant and a copy of any affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein with forty-eight hours of the search:

- ☐ The personal safety of a confidential informant would be jeopardized by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☒ The search is part of a continuing investigation which would be adversely affected by the giving of a copy of the affidavits at such time;
- ☐ The giving of such affidavits at such time would require disclosure of information or material prohibited from being disclosed by chapter 959a of the general statutes;

- ☐ In addition, it is requested that the requirement of advance service of this warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought, be waived pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a);

and the specific details with regard to such reasons are as follows:

This is an active and evolving investigation in which the identification of additional suspect(s) and co-conspirators could be potentially compromised by disclosure of the aforementioned information at this juncture.

The undersigned further requests that this affidavit also be included in such nondelivery.

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City/Town	Date	Signature and Title of Affiant
Newtown	12/16/12	Det. NYS #598
Newtown	12/16/12	Det. #1022
Jurat	Subscribed and sworn to before me on (Date) Dec. 16, 2012	Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) [Signature]

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
SUPERIOR COURT

SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

The foregoing Affidavit and Application for Search and Seizure Warrant having been presented to and been considered by the undersigned, a Judge of the Superior Court or a Judge Trial Referee, and the foregoing Affidavit having been subscribed and sworn to by the affiant(s) before me at the time it was presented, the undersigned (a) is satisfied therefrom that grounds exist for said application, and (b) finds that said affidavit established grounds and probable cause for the undersigned to issue this Search and Seizure Warrant, such probable cause being the following: From said affidavit, the undersigned finds that there is probable cause for the undersigned to believe that the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application is within or upon the person, if any, named or described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or the place or thing, if any, described in the foregoing affidavit and application, under the conditions and circumstances set forth in the foregoing affidavit and application, and that, therefore, a Search and Seizure warrant should issue for said property.

NOW THEREFORE, by Authority of the State of Connecticut, I hereby command any Police Officer of a regularly organized police department, any State Police Officer, any inspector in the Division of Criminal Justice, or any conservation officer, special conservation officer or patrol officer acting pursuant to C.G.S. § 26-6 to whom these presents shall come within ten days after the date of this warrant to enter into or upon and search the place or thing described in the foregoing affidavit and application, or search the person described in the foregoing affidavit and application or both, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

for the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application, to wit:

Written documentation presumed to be authored and/or collected by Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza, referencing or pertaining to Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza. These documents include but are not limited to drawings, written notes, typed notes, medical records, psychiatric records, prescriptions telephone records, school records, receipts and subscriptions, along with newspaper clippings pertaining to Adam Lanza and/or Nancy Lanza.

☒ submit the property described in the foregoing affidavit and application to laboratory analysis and examination:

DEESP Forensic Science Laboratory, 278 Colony St. Meriden, CT for physical examination, scientific testing and forensic analysis and or any other law enforcement/ forensic agency including the FBI for forensic and behavioral analysis.

and upon finding said property to seize the same, take and keep it in custody until the further order of the court, and with reasonable promptness make due return of this warrant accompanied by a written inventory of all property seized.

☒ The foregoing request that the judge or judge trial referee dispense with the requirement of C.G.S. § 54-33c that a copy of the warrant application and affidavit(s) in support of the warrant be given to the owner, occupant or person named therein and that the affidavit in support of such request also be included in such nondelivery is hereby:

☒ GRANTED for a period of

NOT TO EXCEED 2 WEEKS BEYOND DATE WARRANT IS EXECUTED

Dec 30, 2012

This order, or any extension thereof, dispensing with said requirement shall not limit disclosure of such application and affidavits to the attorney for a person arrested in connection with or subsequent to the execution of the search warrant unless, upon motion of the prosecuting authority within two weeks of such arraignment the court finds that the state's interest in continuing nondisclosure substantially outweighs the defendant's right to disclosure.

☐ DENIED.

☐ Service of this Search Warrant upon the customer whose financial records are being sought is hereby waived, pursuant to C.G.S. § 36a-43 (a).

(NOTE: AFFIANT'S OATH MUST BE TAKEN PRIOR TO JUDGE / JUDGE TRIAL REFEREE SIGNING BELOW)

(This is page 6 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

Signed at <u>Newtown</u> , Connecticut, on:	Date <u>Dec 16, 2012</u>	At (Time) <u>4:31</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.
Signed (Judge/Judge Trial Referee) <u>[Signature]</u>	Print name of Judicial Official <u>HON. JOHN F. BLAWIE</u>		

**RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Judicial District of			G.A.	At (Address of Court)	Inventory control number
Docket number CR-			Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS# 12-00704559	Date of seizure
					Companion case number

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda Street in Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The house is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda Street is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☐ Total Cash Seized: _____, consisting of

and I gave a copy of such warrant to _____, the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____, the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 7 of a 7 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date	Signed (Officer's signature and department)
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NOTE: Form JD-CR-61, pages 1 - must be supplemented by Form JD-CR-52.

**RETURN AND INVENTORY
PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT**

Inventory control number		
Judicial District of	G.A.	At (Address of Court)
Date of seizure		12-16-12
Pocket number	Uniform arrest number	Police case number
CR-		CFS12-00705354 / 12-00704559
Companion case number		CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a 2 story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in front of the house.

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☒ Total Cash Seized: none, consisting of

- Item #71 - Receipts and emails documenting firearm/ammunition and shooting supplies.
- Item #72 - (16) day planner pads from nightstand.
- Item #73 - Items related to school located in Master bedroom.
- Item #74 - Verizon Wireless cellular phone bills and contact bills for [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
- Item #75 - (5) books from master bedroom closet.
- Item #76 - Medical papers.
- Item #77 - Blue folder labeled "Guns" containing receipts, paperwork and other firearm related paperwork.
- Item #78 - Verizon wireless bill dated 11/02/12 for Nancy Lanza.
- Item #79 - Printed email conversations located in living room.
- Item #80 - Legal documents located in basket in living room.
- Item #81 - Paperwork titled, "Connecticut Gun Exchange, Glock 20SF 10mm FS 15 round FC", dated 12/21/11.
- Item #82 - School related paperwork pertaining to Adam Lanza.
- Item #83 - Email re: Gunbroker.com dated 10-12-11.
- Item #84 - One "Visa" platinum debit card for Nancy Lanza - [REDACTED]
- Item #85 - Printed photographs, misc. handwritten papers, and Sandy Hook report card for Adam Lanza.
- Item #86 - "Look me in the eye - My life with Asbergers" book, "Born on a blue day - Inside the mind of an Autistic Savant" book, "NRA guide to the basics of pistol shooting" book.
- Item #87 - Handwritten papers, artwork, and literature pertaining to Adam Lanza.
- Item #88 - Various school paperwork in the name of Adam Lanza.
- Item #89 - Various insurance, medical, and other paperwork in name of Nancy Lanza, and college paperwork in name of Adam Lanza.

and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner, and son deceased. No copy distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____ the person named therein, on (Date) _____.

(This is page 6 of a 6 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date 12-16-12 Signed (Officer's signature and department) [Signature] #679 CSP-EDMCS

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RETURN FOR AND INVENTORY PROPERTY SEIZED ON SEARCH AND SEIZURE WARRANT

Inventory control number		
Judicial District of Danbury	G.A. 3	At (Address of Court) 146 White Street, Danbury, CT
Docket number CR-	Uniform arrest number	Police case number CFS12-00705354 / 12-00704559
Date of seizure 12/20/12		Companion case number CFS12-00704559

Then and there by virtue of and pursuant to the authority of the foregoing warrant, I searched the person, place or thing named therein, to wit:

The residence of Nancy and Adam Lanza, 36 Yogananda St., Sandy Hook, CT. The residence is a **one and a half story colonial style structure, with an attached two car garage. The home is pale yellow with dark green shutters. The full address, 36 Yogananda St. is listed on the mailbox located in the front of the house.**

and found thereon or therein, seized, and now hold in custody, the following property:

☐ Total Cash Seized: N/A, consisting of

Addendum to Return submitted on 12/16/12

Exhibit #604 - Four (4) pieces of paper with miscellaneous writings.

Exhibit #605 - One (1) receipt for Timstar Shooting Range located in Weatherford, Ok and one (1) NRA certificate for Nancy Lanza.

Exhibit #606 - One (1) Paperback book titled Train Your Brain To Get Happy, with pages tabbed off.

Exhibit #608 - Three (3) photographs with images of what appears to be a deceased human covered with plastic and what appears to be blood.

Exhibit #609 - Seven (7) journals and miscellaneous drawings authored by Adam Lanza.

Exhibit #610 - One (1) journal authored by Ryan Lanza.

Exhibit #611 - One (1) box of miscellaneous photographs of Adam Lanza and family.

Exhibit #612 - One (1) holiday card containing a Bank of America check #462 made out to Adam Lanza for the purchase of a C183 (Firearm), authored by Nancy Lanza.

Exhibit #630 - One (1) New York Times article on 02/18/08 of a school shooting at Northern Illinois University.

Exhibit #631 - One (1) handwritten note pad with what appears to be to do lists for Nancy Lanza from December 14 through December 20.

Exhibit #632 - Miscellaneous documents pertaining to Nancy Lanza including a State of CT Sale or Transfer of Firearm dated 10/09/10.

Exhibit #633 - Miscellaneous documents pertaining to Adam Lanza including PSAT scores, bank account information and high school paperwork.

and I gave a copy of such warrant to Owner and Son Deceased. No Copy Distributed., the owner or occupant of the dwelling, structure, motor vehicle or place designated therein, or to _____

the person named therein, on (Date) _____

(This is page 10 of a 10 page Affidavit and Application.)

Date <u>1/7/13</u>	Signed (Officer's signature and department) <u>[Signature] #864 CSP - CPNC</u>
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